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DEATH OF MRS. H. I. HOLDER

As Announced Saturday Took Place Friday Morning

BURIED, JOHNSON CEMETERY

Had Been Resident of This County Since 1866. Oldest of Family of Nine Children

Mrs. H. I. Holder died Friday morning at 11:30 o'clock at the homeof herdaughter Mrs. J. W. Browning, 2 mi N. E. of Melissa.

She had been confined to her bed for two years as the result of a fall; this together with her advanced age, made her death not unexpected.

Mrs. Holder was born Dec. 22, 1823, at Monroe Mississippi, and was therefore seventy eight years ten months and fifteen days old. She was married to Willis Holder when a young girl. He died at Mobile Alabama, in 1853, from yellow fever, and left her with two children. Her son, W. A. Holder, of this city, is one of the county's best citizens; her daughter, Mrs. Browning, who tenderly cared for her during the closing years of her life, is a most excellent lady.

In the year 1866 Mrs. Holder, with her two children, in company with her mother, Mrs. Mildred Pardue, brothers, Dr. D. T., D. C., and W. M. Pardue who died at Kaufman, came to Texas and located five miles north of McKinney. The year following Mrs. Pardue died and for many years afterward Mrs. Holder lived with her brother D. T. Pardue at the old homestead.

The deceased was the oldest of a family of nine children, four of whom are living; three brothers, Dr. D. T. Pardue of this city. W. B. Pardue Batson Miss., and Dr. D. C. Pardue of Quinlan, and a sister Mrs. J. R. Rogers, living at Marlow, I. T.

Mrs. Holder was a member of the Methodist church at Melissa, having been a devoted communicant of that faith for sixty years. She lived true to her God, and died with perfect faith in her Savior. Her memory will ever be cherished by her children and friends as one of earth's most faithful christian characters.

The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 1 o clock, Rev. W. P. Cloyd of this city conducting the services. Buried in Johnson cemetery, four miles east of McKinney.

Her son, W. A. Holder who left a few days ago for Hereford to visit his son Robert, did not reach home in time for the funeral.

The Democrat joins the many friends of the family in extending condolence.

Accidental Shooting

The 8-year-old daughter of Mr. Jim Lawson, who lives three miles northeast of Nevada, was accidentally shot by a nine-year-old boy one day last week. The boy was out hunting and while near the home of Mr. Lawsen began shooting from behind a patch of weeds. The little girl was out in the yard and a stray bullet entered her left side. At last reports the ball had not been found but the child is resting easy.—Farmersville Sentinel.

Valuable Lot Sold

S. P. Coffey has purchased from Merrill W. Johnson the block of ground, 200x200 feet in size, on which W. A. Kendall's livery stable stands. The price paid was $8,000.

Store Improvements

Manager R. E. Carpenter of the Collin County Implement Co. is having the interior of his store repapered and repainted. The front of the store will also be repainted.

WAS FULLY EXONERATED

Further Details of Jim Warden's Preliminary Hearing

IMPORTANT NEW WITNESS

Warned Warden of La Place's Intentions and to be on His Guard

Deputy Sheriff Todd Warden arrived Thursday from Shreveport where he went to attend the preliminary examination of his son, Cashier Jim Warden of the Wells-Fargo Express Co., charged with killing Ed La Place, in that city Saturday.

The Shreveport Times' account of the preliminary hearing states that only six witnesses were introduced when the district attorney asked that Warden be discharged.

Book-keeper G. E. Quendette of the Shreveport Iceland Refrigerator Co. was the only new witness introduced who threw additional light on the tragedy. Mr. Quendette testified that after returning from dinner he noticed that La Place was drinking and in an angry mood. He heard him cursing some one over the phone. Afterward saw him get his pistol and remark, "I'll be there in about three minutes." He made every effort to keep deceased from leaving the office but La Place said, "I am going to kill the——."

As soon as he left, witness phoned Warden that La Place was on his way to the office, that he was drinking and looking for trouble and to be on his guard.

The entire evidence corroborated Warden in every particular.

Judge Hicks then said, "The prisoner is discharged and the bond cancelled."

G. A. Taft, of Houston, general superintedent, southern division of the Wells-Fargo Express Co., attended the trial to render his employe any assistance he might need. Owing to Mr. Warden's health not being the best, since going to Shreveport in 1900, it is understood that Supt. Taft will transfer him to San Antonio or some other point in the near future. Agent W. H. Strong of that city who was recently transferred there from Shreveport has asked for Jim's transfer with him. Jim did not accompany his father home as was expected, but will probably come over for a brief visit as soon as his duties will permit.

Mayor Sent to Legislature.

D. J. Anthony Thursday tendered his resignation as Mayor of Terrell, effective Dec. 16. The City Coucil has ordered a special election to be held Dec. 15 to name a successor to fill out his unexpired term.

Mayor Anthony was elected Flotorial Representative of the Thirty-Second District, composed of Kaufman, Rains and Van Zandt counties, last Tuesday and will enter upon his duties in that capacity as soon as he is relieved of the duties of Mayor. Mayor Anthony is an uncle of Joe G. Anthony of this city.

Surveyors at Lancaster.

Dallas Times-Herald, Nov. 7.

C. M. Lyon of Lancaster, is spending the day in Dallas. He said:

"Citizens of Lancaster are encouraging the idea of an interurban electric line and have appointed a committee of ten to confer with Mr. Farnham. His proposition will be taken up in detail this afternoon. The scheme appears to be feasible on its face and we do not propose to pass it up without a thorough investigation. Surveyors employed by Mr. Farnham are making headquarters at Lancaster and have projected their proposed right of way to a point in Ellis county."

THANKSGIVING GUN CLUB SHOOT

BIG TWO DAYS EVENT TO BE PULLED OFF AT McKINNEY CITY PARK NOV. 27 AND 28.

TEXAS, OKLAHOMA AND IND. TER.

State And Two Territories Will Contest For Gold Medal—Live Bird Events Both Days—Interstate Rules Will Govern. List of Clubs Invited And To Be Represented.

The McKinney Gun Club has issued invitations to a big two days' Thanksgiving Shoot at McKinney Nov. 27 and 28, which will eclipse any thing of the kind ever before given in North Texas.

The principal event will be the gold medal contest for the championship of Texas, Oklahoma and the Indian Territory.

Interstate rules will govern and shooting will begin each day at 9 a. m. Everybody is invited to attend and take part in the shoot. Paid shooters will be debarred from division of money, but are welcome to shoot for targets.

A live bird event will be given each day.

Free transportation to the grounds, city park, will be furnished all shooters.

Ladies especially are invited.

The local gun club contains some of the best shots in the South and is reflecting much credit on our town. In turn, McKinney should now show her appreciation of the club's efforts by uniting with it in according hearty, cordial entertainment to our many visitors and guests during the shoot. The following local club members signed the invitations:

MEMBERS M'KINNEY GUN CLUB.

H. H. Stephens, Fred Emerson,
W. S. Wyrick, W. H. Bertrand,
J. B. Wyrick, G. E. Carpenter,
W. H. Sims, W. B. Benge,
T. T. Emerson, J. T. Nale,
W. R. Moore, E. R. Hall,

CLUBS INVITED.

The following clubs have been invited and are expected to be represented here during the shoot:

Tishomingo, I. T.
Ennis, Texas.
Shreveport, La.
Wynnewood, I. T.
Durant, I. T.
Royse City, Texas.
Grand Saline, Texas.
Atlanta, Texas.
Rockwall, Texas.
Parsons, Kans.
Winfield, Kans.
Arkansas City, Kans.
Lampasas, Texas.
Comanche, Texas.
Beaumont, Texas.
Orange, Texas.
Brenham, Texas.
Granbury, Texas.
Cameron, Texas.
Galveston, Texas.
Temple, Texas.
McLeoud, O. T.
Oklahoma City, O. T.
Wills Point, Texas.
Weatherford, "
Gainesville, "
Bonham, "
San Angelo, "
Marlin, "
Belton, "
Giddings, "
Terrell, "
Memphis, Tenn.
El Reno, O. T.
Enid, "
Larned, Kans.
Wylie, Texas.
Stephensville, Texas.
Mineral Wells, "
McGregor, "
Waco, "
Wichita Falls, "
Nocona, "
Mexia, "
Gilmer, "
San Antonio, "
Timpson, "
Nacogdoches, "
Tyler, "
Austin, "
Ft Worth, "
Manor, "
Houston, "
Waxahachie, "
Dallas, "
Ardmore, I. T.

A Big Fire at Melissa.

A destructive fire occurred at Melissa Friday night. About ten o'clock the the two-story frame blacksmith shop of Sam Woods was discovered to be on fire. The flames got under full headway before the local fire company could get there. The building and contents were soon completely destroyed.

The fire boys did heroic service in saving the building and merchandise of A. M. Douglas & Son which adjoined. The whole back end of this building was charred by the flames, but by plying water from buckets on the building and on the walls and ceiling inside, the property was saved.

The loss of Mr. Woods is probably $1000 and that of A. M. Douglas & Son probably $500.

The Melissa fire boys are recipients of much praise. The origin of the fire is unknown.

W. L. West Acquitted.

The jury in the case of W. L. West charged with killing his brother-in-law John Bibles near Celina, returned a verdict Saturday morning of not guilty. They were but only a few minutes.

D. H. McDaniel, who represents Keith Bros. & Co., of Chicago, came Friday evening and is stopping with his brother T. M. McDaniel and wife and will make his headquarters here. He formerly lived here and was in the employ of J. P. Dowell. His many friends will welcome him back.

Visited the Governor.

Gabe Beck, Senator J. R. Gough and attorney W. M. Abernathy returned Friday from a visit to Governor-elect S. W. T. Lanham at Weatherford. The visit was made in the interest of Mr. Beck's candidacy for the office of penitentiary inspector. They were cordially received by Mr. Lanham, who gave close attention to the claims of Mr. Beck. The latter has splendid endorsements from his home people and recommendations from every section of the state as being capable, efficient and in every way worthy of the position.

This, in connection with the fact that Collin county has been practically unrepresented for years in the appointive official circle, should insure the appointment of Mr. Beck.

We trust that he will get the position, feeling assured that he will serve the state faithfully and honorably.

Messrs. Beck, Gough and Abernathy speak in praise of the governor-elect. Though he has made promises to none he receives most cordially and convinces his visitors that he is a plain, broad minded citizen, as well as a learned statesman, of whom the commonwealth of Texas can be proud.

Capt. W. A. Rhea and family have moved from their Rhea Mills home to McKinney and are occupying the Ben Rhine residence on South Tennessee street.

GRAND JURY'S REPORT

Showing Careful Examination of All Matters

WERE DISCHARGED TO-DAY

Reported Jail and County Farm to be in First Class Condition. Officers Commended

The grand jury completed their labors Saturday, made final report which we publish below and were discharged.

To the Hon. J. E. Dillard, Judge of the District Court, Autumn term, A. D. 1902:

We, your Grand Jurors, empannelled and sworn at said term of said court, would respectfully represent to the court and show that we have examined into all matters that have been brought to our knowledge, and have presented bills in all cases that in the discretion of the said Grand Jurors seem warranted by the facts.

We would further represent to the court and show that your Grand Jurors have visited the county farm and find everything in good shape. Plenty of hay &c has been raised on said farm to supply the county teams and considerable corn, considering the poor season of this year. We also find the stock on said farm in good shape. The poor, well fed and housed, and seem to be well satisfied with their condition.

We would further state that the jail has been visited by the majority of the said Grand Jurors and they find everything in good condition, the few prisoners cleanly, well fed and cared for by the jailer in charge.

We would further show that we have examined the fee books and accounts of the different officers required by law to keep the same and find them in good condition and generally well kept.

We wish to extend to the different officers our thanks for their kindness and courtesy in being ready to assist your Grand Jurors at all times in the execution of their work.

We also extend our thanks to the editors of the McKinney Daily Courier for their courtesy in furnishing your Grand Jurors with their daily papers.

G. E. CARPENTER,
Foreman.

Mass Meeting At Celnia.

The following proceedings of the mass-meeting, at Celina, recently held in the interest of the electric railroad from McKinney to Gainesville via Celina and Tioga, appeared in the last issue of the Celina Record:

Mr. Farnham addressed quite a number of our citizens here last Saturday in the interest of proposed electric road above mentioned. His talk was interesting and instructive. He proposed that the farmers along the route subscribe stock in the road to the amount of $3,000 per mile to be paid for in work, and the right-of-way be donated. Dr. Mitchell was called to the chair and appointed J. Perry, J. T. Buchanan, J. E. Bateman, J. W. Kerr and W. P. Roberts to secure right-of-way and subscriptions of stock. The committee will make a thorough canvass of the community and confer with the various other committees along the proposed route. The personnel of our committee-men insures prompt and efficient service in the matter as they are leading men of the community.

Will Move January 1st

R. Van Brown, Collin's newly elected tax collector, was in town Saturday. He informed a Democrat reporter that he would not move his family to McKinney before Jan'y 1st.

THE CORNERSTONE LAYING

Of New Methodist Church in Farmersville

TOOK PLACE ON TUESDAY

Rainy Weather and Mud Prevented a General Attendance of the Citizens and Others

The continuous rainy weather prevented the laying of the cornerstone of the new Methodist church at Farmersville on Monday as first announced, and caused its postponement until Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

A general attendance of the citizens and former pastors was also prevented.

Rev. J. W. Clark of Pilot Point who organized this church forty-six years ago, was expected to be there, but was prevented by the unfavorable weather.

Rev. M. H. Neely of Denton, who served this work forty five years ago, and Rev. Jacob M. Binkley of Sherman, who served it forty four years ago, were both present, and jointly laid the cornerstone. Among the former pastors Revs. E. H. Casey and J. M. Peterson, in addition to the two above named, were present.

The audience was composed largely of the veteran members of the church and their descendants.

The services were under the direction of the pastor Rev. T. H. Morris and consisted of music by the choir, prayer by Rev. J. M. Binkley, scripture reading by Rev M. H. Neely, 'Historical Resume,' by Sam R. Hamilton; "Early Reminiscences," Revs. Binkley and Neely.

The following articles were deposited in the cornerstone by Sam R. Hamilton: The Bible and a copy of the Discipline, Nashville Advocate, Texas Christian Advocate, Epworth Era and a copy of The Farmersville Times, containing a historical writeup of this church, also a photo of the Honaker family and memento cards of W. P. Herron and family, city official directory, minutes of the North Texas annual conference of 1901, list of present membership (325) of this church, official roll, names of the building committee, architect, superintendent of building, and other matters connected with the enterprise. These were placed in a copper box with lid and hermetically sealed.

The laying of this stone marks an important era in the history of this church, and this building, massive in its proportions, beautiful in architectural design, and modern and up to date in its arrangement and every equipment will when completed be one of the most elegant, commodious and costly church edifices in North Texas.

THE RED SKIN BANANA.

A Product of Central America—First Shipment to McKinney.

A. E. Daw received a bunch of bananas Saturday which elicited much attention from people passing. They were of a red skinned variety from Central America. Mr. Daw says that he has seen this variety before but this is the first received in McKinney. The flavor is somewhat different from the ordinary banana.

Spencer Smith Brought Home

Howell E. Smith returned Sunterday evening from Monroe Wis. He was accompanied by his son Spencer who has been attending school there and who was so badly injured in a game of foot ball a few weeks ago. He suffered from concussion of the brain and was unconscious seventy two hours. We are glad to report rapid convalescence.

Miss Florence Melton returned Sunday from a visit to Corpus Christi, San Antonio and Waco.

Collin County Gleanings.

Items From Adjacent Towns, Villages and Communities of a General Interest.

FRISCO

Frisco, Nov, 11.—Lee Atkinson left Friday for Bennington, I. T.

Greene Ridley went to Fort Worth Thursday.

Mrs Amy Cooper arrived Sunday from a visit to Ft Worth.

Green bugs are reported on the wheat in this section. Some specimens were brought into Frisco Monday and appears very much like the bug that destroyed the wheat two years ago.

Ye scribe, A. B. Shelton, Mr Jonnson of Bates, and Max Rudolph went to Fort Worth Monday.

A social was given at Mr and Mrs Jake Morrison's Saturday night and all were highly entertained.

The Misses Carroll of Allen have been visiting Miss Hattie Kerr.

A $5000 brick hotel is to be built in Frisco in the near future.

A $1500 residence will soon be erected near the M E church.

Mr Rew a banker recently of Arkansas will build a 50 foot front brick in the immediate future.

Frisky Frisco fails to find any furious fortune in the Simple Sorgum Sity.

Hereafter our communications will appear from Ft Worth.

Homer Gee visited in Pilot Point Sunday.

Success to the Democrat and family.

Theo. Van Swinke.

FOOTE

Foot, Nov. 10, 1902.—Bowlby school is moving off nicely for such a bad week. The school, which is a large one, has its reputation for having well qualified teachers.

The Sunday school is growing both in members and interest and have good singing, so everybody come out and take a part and help in a good cause.

Born to Alfred Roberts and wife a fine girl on the 5th inst.

Dave Osborne and Joe Cheff have gone to Red River county to work on a railroad.

Tom Crutcher and wife of Johnson county have returned home after a visit to Chess Clynes family.

Jackson Westfall and family will move this week to Wagoner, I T to live.

J A Crutcher returned last Saturday from Plano where he had been as a delegate to the Dallas Presbytery. The next Presbytery will be at Walnut Grove,

Rev Dunn preached at Bowlby last Sunday and held the sacramental service.

Bradford Holloway and family of Sanger spent Saturday night at Joe Blackwell's. They report it dry there.

L L Hand served as juror in the county capital the past week.

Capt FG Lewis and wife returned Saturday from Haskell where they visited their daughter Mrs Smith.

There is some fear of the early wheat getting too rank if the weather continues wet.

Central

CLIFFT

Clifft, Nov. 10, 1902.—Brooks Dunn of this place and Miss Annie Pettigrew of Terrell were married recently. They will reside near Locust Grove in Rockwall county.

Mrs Parker and son, J R Bryan, attended Free Methodist conference at Terrell last week.

George Keasler returned from Greenville Wednesday where he has been sowing wheat on his father's farm.

Mrs Hart and children returned from Garland Wednesday.

Rev McBride will succeed himself as pastor of Rockwall circuit.

John Webb went to McKinney first Monday.

R H Keasler came in from Greenville Saturday.

Lee Boren and Oscar Dewes are clearing the Rees-Kelmsteller land just north of the school house.

There have been a great many ducks killed in the bottom this last week. Every man it seems has loaded his gun and gone to the bottom.

Owing to the inclement weather there was no prayer meeting Sunday or Thursday night.

Cotton picking is very near over. The yield was very light in most places but some few made very good cotton.

Health in this community is good.

The corn crop here was very near a complete failure.

Hazel Eyes.

CULLEOKA.

Culleoka, Nov. 10.—The citizens of Culleoka have heard and read so much about electric railroads until they want one themselves. They think one running from Nevada via Copeville and Culleoka to Mckinney would be a great advantage. We are sure they would do their part toward building one.

Jeff McElroy of this place visited his brother A J McElroy at Greenville last week.

W E Bowen left last Sunday for Dallas county where he will spend the week.

Not many were out at the election on account of the rain but the amendment carried by a big majority.

The death angel has again visited our community and taken from our midst the little babe of Mrs M J Hicks. Its remains were laid to rest in Thompson cemetery last Monday evening.

Fido

LUCAS.

Lucas Tex., Nov. 11th.—While returning from a hunt Monday evening Will and Frank Anderson both were accidently shot by the same gun (target No. 22.) Will the eldest had the gun on back of his neck with left hand on butt of gun, his right hand on barrel with little finger over muzzle of gun. The ball passed through second joint and into the back of Frank's head and lodged on the skull. Dr. Armstrong was quickly summoned and the ball extracted and wounds dressed. They are both doing well and will be well in a short time.

Uncle Jim.

WESTMINSTER.

Westminster, Nov. 11.—Profs Tompkins and Rosser attended the Baptist association at Waco.

Preaching at the college Sunday by Rev. Lewis.

D B Reed from near Princeton has moved to our town for the benefit of the school.

Alvin Eubanks and Mrs D Reynolds of this place were married Wednesday night, Rev Watkins officiating,

Robert Johnsey is very sick.

Mrs Roxie Todd of Cosner Denton county, was the guest of Mr Rosser and wife Sunday,

Mr Butler and sister spent Sunday with Miss Eva Bryant.

J R Saye has bought a farm in Fannin county and will move there soon,

Jessie Johnsey from Campbell is visiting his brother at this place.

Quite a number of new students have entered school since our last writing.

Bernadine.

LEBANON

Nov. 11 —Rev Cole, assisted by the pastor, Rev Miller, is holding a meeting at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Flora Davis and daughter, Miss Bessie, of Clifton, visited Mr and Mrs J W Stevens Sunday November 2d.

Miss Clara Mallow left Sunday for Pleasant Ridge, where she begins her school to-day.

Since the recent rains wheat and oats are looking fine.

Miss Sue Hoffman, of Plano, has been visiting relatives here.

Mrs O A McWharton visited relatives at Steward's Creek Sunday and Monday.

Rev Tucker, of Rock Hill, preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Mr Ellis, who has been visiting his brothers, Dr W D and Bell Ellis, left for Dallas Monday.

On Sunday, Nov. 9th, T P Gordon and Miss Clara Bruce were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs Alex Bruce. Only the relatives and a few friends were present. Rev Miller performed the ceremony after which all were invited to the dining room where delicious refreshments were served. The bride is a young lady of many beautiful traits of character and many friends. The groom is from Dallas, where he works in a grocery store, but this is his former home and all who know him praise his many good qualities, both social and business. They both have many friends, who wish for them life's best blessings and happiness.

PRINCETON.

Nov 11.—Since our last report there have been two weddings in our town. On Sunday afternoon, Nov. 2d, Will Reddin and Miss Ella Staton were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr and Mrs H K Staton, Rev Dunn performed the ceremony.

Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock Ed Lynn and Miss Lena Clayton were united in wedlock at J H Stinson's. Ray Day officiated. Miss Clayton is a niece of Mrs Stinson, and formerly lived at Weston.

Miss Nannie Ward, of Chambersville, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs A F Meroney.

The Long Neck school, under the management of Prof T D Simpson and Miss Hattie Wilson, began Monday.

S H Housman has moved into his new home. Prof Simpson will occupy the house vacated by Mr Housman.

Lawrence Mallow and Raymond Lowe, who are attending McKinney Business College, visited home folks here Sunday.

Elmer Hale, of Chambliss, is visiting his brother, J W Hale and family.

Ernest Cameron, of Altoga, visited his sister, Mrs C H Warden, Saturday night and Sunday.

The Epworth League will give an entertainment at the M E church Saturday night, November 29th.

Mr W H Harrelson's new house is about completed. J M Mead is also having a residence built.

Mrs A A Mead is visiting friends near Lucas.

List of Letters.

Remaining in the postoffice at McKinney, Tex., ,Nov. 13, 1902, which, if unclaimed in two weeks, will be sent to the Dead Letter office at Washington, D. C.

LADIES.

Dudley Miss Mattie
Dooley Mrs Mattie
Endsley Mrs Kate
Johnson Miss Mine
McDonal Mrs Clarra B
Orant Miss Flory
Rector Mrs Isa Bell
Shafer Miss Delight
Tate Mrs Alace

GENTLEMEN.

Allen Lee
Banks F A
Bowens Albert
Brining Maurice [2]
Crain Corden
Cunningham C H
Garcia Tomas Z
Giles M H
Harden Henry
Kilpatrick O E
Lewis Marion
Miller Willie
Robertson Wiley
Sibley Ed
Stinson Lee
Steele Jno
Warthon J W

Persons calling for letters in above list please say "Advertised."

H. E. Smith,
Postmaster.

Christmas 1902.

Rates lower, service more perfect. On Dec. 13, 17. 21, 22, 23 and 26 the Houston and Texas Central Railroad will sell round trip tickets to points in the north, east and southeast at rate of one fare plus $2.00, with limit for return thirty days from date of sale. Through standard Pullman sleepers Denison to New Orleans via Houston, and direct connection with all lines diverging. Oil burners—no dust, smoke or cinders. Why not travel comfortably, its just as cheap.

Write for further particulars to,

M. L. Robbins.
G. P. & T. A.
Houston, Tex.

T. J. Anderson,
A. G. P. & T. A.,
Houston, Tex,

Mrs. J. T. Webb and daughter Cleo are visiting in Sherman.

FULL ELECTION RETURNS

The Commissioners Court Completed Canvassing Vote Today

SMALL VOTE OVER COUNTY

The Amendment Carried Though There Was Considerable Opposition to it.

The commissioners court and Deputy County Clerk J. C. Saunders who commenced the work of canvassing the election returns yesterday morning completed their labor this afternoon. The vote all over the county was small. Following are the total number of votes received by each candidate:

For Poll Tax amendment,	2381
Against " " "	1231
FOR GOVERNOR.	
S. W.T.Lanham (Dem)	3386
Geo. W. Burkett (Rep)	356
FOR CONGRESS.	
C. B. Randell (Dem)	3427
A. C. Gray (Rep)	346
FOR REPRESENTATIVE.	
J. N. Grisham.	3629
Jas. D. Cottrell	3629
FOR COUNTY JUDGE.	
Frank E. Wilcox.	3702
FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR:	
W. S. Graham.	291
FOR SUPERINTENDENT.	
J. H. Hill.	3708
FOR COMMISSIONER PRE NO. 1.	
N. A. Burton.	1166
FOR JUSTICE PRECINCT NO. 1.	
T. C. Andrews.	882
FOR CONSTABLE PRECT. 1.	
John S. McKinney.	827
FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.	
R. C. Merritt.	3728
FOR DISTRICT CLERK.	
W. T. Cox.	3709
FOR COUNTY CLERK.	
W. M. Shirley.	3725
FOR SHERIFF.	
Tom M. Beverly.	3728
FOR TAX COLLECTOR.	
R. Van Brown.	3715
FOR COUNTY TREASURER.	
Dan E. Neathery.	3680
FOR COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR.	
S. H. Graham.	3738
FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER:	
J. S. Lansdale,	188
COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2.	
N. J. Stinebaugh,	878
Precinct No. 3—	
W. N. Osborne,	585
Precinct No. 4—	
F. M. Brooks,	765
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.	
2—L L Miller,	628
3—R J Osbourn,	342
4—W T Caruth,	222
5—J M Berryman,	571
6—J R Robbins,	171
7—T J Bowles,	381
8—John Beckham,	207
CONSTABLE.	
2—A L Owens;	630
3—J O Belden,	339
4—T C Bounds,	312
5—Grady Kenedy,	568
6—Jno Howard(resigned)	171
7—J A Miller,	393
8—G F Dixon,	208

TEACHERS MEETING PROGRAM

To be Held in McKinney Saturday Nov. 15th, 1902

1. Radix system, continued—G. P. Gadberry and Miss Byrd Rosser.
2. How I teach beginners to read—Mrs. J. W. Miller and Miss Minnie Blankenship.
3. How may trustees and patrons be induced to attend our institutes?—G. L. Marshall and T. W. Lanham.
4. How and to what extent should we teach current events?—R. E. Chapman and Miss Ruth Sneed.
5. Art of securing attention—W. S. Smith and Miss Josie Parker.

For Sale—160 acres, farm well located near Prosper, on best of terms. See me and see the land,

138 acres, farm near Cottage Hill. See me and see the land.

We have some good bargains for investors.

We have some cheap small farms from $250 up.

We have some common and good up to the finest black land farms in the county.

We won't brag, and can't lie to you, but ask you to come and see us if you are wishing to secure a home or good investment.

F, M. Thompson, at Examiner office. d6t w4t

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

Of the Christian Churches in Collin County

THE BETHANY CONGREGATION

Will Entertain This Body of Religious Workers on November 30th, 1902

Program of the 5th Sunday meeting of Christian churches in Collin county, to be held with the Bethany church Nov. 28th to 30th, 1902.

Friday, 7 p. m. devotional service, leader, Albert Nichols.

7:15. Introductory discourse, Subject, "Christianity is Necessarily Missionary in Spirit;" R. R. Hamlin.

8. Acquaintance meeting, followed by evening adjournment.

Saturday, 9:30, a. m. Devotional services, led by Claude Hunter.

9:45, a. m. "Our Plea Demands That We Lead in Evangelism;" Jessie B. Haston; Alternate, A. L. Clinkenbeard.

10:20. Corresponding secretary's report for 7 months; R. C. Horn.

10:40. "Things Most Needed in Our County Mission Work;" J. B. Faulkner.

11:10, Song devotional; James Faulkner.

11:20. Discourse; B. B. Sanders; Alternate, Albert Nichols.

11:50. Appointing of necessary committees and announcements.

12. Noon adjournment.

2 p. m. Devotional service, leader, Cord Spurgeon.

2:15. "Missionary Symposium" 1—"The Preacher and Missions;" R. R. Hamlin.

2—"The Church and Missions;" A. L. Clinkenbeard; Alternate, T. L. Shirley.

3—"Money and Missions;" F. H. Epps.

4—"Prayer and Missions;" J. N. Sanstrum.

3:15. Open parliament on the above subjects.

3:45. Reports of committees and unfinished business.

4. Song service followed by afternoon adjournment.

7. Devotional services, led by T. L. Shirley.

7:15. An address on Education by Pres. E. V. Zollars, of Texas Christian University, Waco, Tex.

Sunday, Nov. 30; 10 a. m. Sunday school rally, led by J. J. Hall.

11. Preaching as directed by Bethany elders.

11:45. The Communion.

11:55. Offerring for current expenses of county work.

2:15 to 4 p. m. Occupied by the ladies of the C. W. B. M.

6:30. C. E. rally.

7. Closing sermon as directed by elders.

The congregations in Collin are urged to have representatives at this meeting as it is the last for the calendar year.

Bethany church is about five miles west from Allen and northwest from Plano. Persons can come by rail to either point and find conveyance to Bethany. All who can should come by private conveyance as the Bethany people are ready to care for man and beast and extend to all a cordial invitation to come to this feast of good things.

R. C. Horn,
Cor Sec.

Died at San Antonio.

F. C. Thompson is in receipt of a message from San Antonio stating that his aunt Mrs. Margarett Hazlett died last evening at 204 Woodlawn Ave., San Antonio, from the effects of a spider bite, received one week ago. The deceased was an aged lady who accompanied her son John Hazlett and family from Park county, Indiana, to Texas a few weeks ago in the interest of her son's health. It will be remembered they visited here on their way to San Antonio. Since their arrival there one of the children contracted scarlet fever and now another one has pneumonia. The remains of Mrs. Hazlett is being shipped today to Indiana.

To Join Navy

Will Mack and Arthur Morgett have gone to Ft Worth to enlist in the United States Navy. If accepted, they will be sent to San Francisco. Arthur was recently given a disability discharge from the artillery arm of the service.

WORK FOR UNIVERSITY

Other Towns Working For The Presbyterian University.

AN ENDOWMENT OF $100,000

The Assessment Plan Suggested To Raise Fund To Secure The University.

Anent the Texas Presbyterian University there are quite a number of towns and cities working to secure its location. Will McKinney take further steps to get it! Already several citizens have volunteered to give substantial aid. It will take something like 100 acres of land and $50,000 to secure this school. The University will be of a national character. Its buildings will be handsome and commodious.

The university, before it receives students, to have not less than $100,000 endowment, never to be expended, but only the interest thereof used, and that for payment of professors and other current expenses. Of this $100,000 nearly $70,000 already raised. This is a feature uncommon in colleges seeking locations; unprecedented in Texas. This assures the independence of the university and $100,000 is only the beginning of the endowment, which will be rapidly and largely increased from the wealthy and generous people of the old states, and of our own state.

Other places are endeavoring in various ways to raise a fund for the school. We note that one plan is a voluntary assessment. This would seem to be the best and fairest plan as every property owner would share equally in the donation and proportionately in the returns. Is the plum worth striving for?

Baptist Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Following is the program of the Baptist fifth Sunday meeting to be held at Murphy, November 30th:

Introductory sermon by County Missionary, M. F. Wheeler. Alternate, J. B. Snider.

2 p. m.—How to preach so as to do the most good—Discussion led by H. R. Moran.

8 p. m.—Treasures in Earthern Vessels, by G. B. Airheart, Blue Ridge, A. J. Faucette, alternate.

SATURDAY.

9 a. m.—Sabbath desecration, and how to keep the day holy, by J. M. Barron.

10-30 a. m.—Sanctification, by Levi Dunn; W. H. Dunn, Sr., alternate.

2 p. m.—Education, its relation to social, moral and religious life, by Dr. E. E. King, McKinney.

8 p. m.—Subject, No man liveth to himself. by J. A. Held, McKinney.

Pastoral visiting. Discussion led by E. L. Duncan, Wylie.

SUNDAY.

9-30 a. m.—Sunday School work, by S. S. Superintendents, led by W. T. Moore.

11 a. m.—Dedication of church by Dr. E. E. King, McKinney.

Question box opened (on call by committee.

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San Antonio and Aransas Pass and "Sunset Route."

For California, Mexico and Oregon. Free reclining chair cars and a through sleeper from Waco to San Antonio and Mexico City.

Excursion sleepers from Waco to San Francisco each Wednesday and Friday; Rate per berth in these sleepers, about one half of the rate in the standard sleeper.

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Pass. Agt. S. A. & AP. Ry.,
Waco, Texas.

McKinney Grain Shippers.

An interesting meeting of the McKinney Grain Shippers Association was held at G. E. Felton's office Monday night. After business session the members retired to the Bon Ton where all partook of an oyster supper the treat of David M. Venus, manager of North Texas Grain Co. The occasion was thoroughly enjoyed.

LOCAL NEWS.

L. J. Powell has gone to Tioga for a few days.

Pure Mediterranean seed wheat at T. L. McMullen's.

John Blankenship, a Princeton merchant, was in town Friday.

Pure Mediterranean seed wheat for sale at T. L. McMullen's.

Mrs. Ben Wilson of Ardath is reported to have typhoid fever.

First-class cord wood wanted. Call at The Democrat office.

G. B. Watson made Greenville a business trip Saturday.

Call and get pure Mediterranean seed wheat at T. L. McMullen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lehman and baby have gone to Palestine.

Chas. Smith, of Farmersville, spent Sunday in the city.

Purses, bill books, pocket books etc. SMITH BROS. & Co.

W. M. Hynds went to Greenville on business Monday.

Window glass, get all sizes, them now at City Drug Store.

"White Billows" flour guaranteed to excel all others. d & w

Sam Hynds, of Durant I. T., spent Sunday with home folks.

Better window glass now, all sizes at City Drug Store.

Picture frames made while you wait at City Drug Store.

V. M. Keen made Farmersville a business trip Monday.

"White Billows" flour "rises" to explain its good qualities. d & w

Conant King returned from Waco Sunday.

Window glass all sizes, cut to fit. SMITH BROS. & Co.

Jake Giddings, of Allen, was in the city Sunday.

Mrs. K. D. Spears of Grand Saline is a guest at the home of S. J. B. Plemmons.

Money bags, pocket books and purses all kinds at City Drug Store.

Capt. and Mrs. T. M. Scott, of Melissa, are in the city visiting their sons S. O. and L. A. Scott.

Window glass the right size at the right price.
SMITH BROS. & Co

City Attorney Dud Rike, of Farmersville, was in the city Sunday.

Don't wait for cold weather but buy your window glass today of Smith Bros. & Co.

"White Billows" flour, a sure cure for sad bread as well as sad faces. d & w

Mrs. M. Wade, who was injured by a fall several weeks ago, continues to improve.

Peruna, Prickly Ash Bitters, Cod Liver Oils, Chile Tonics all the best kinds at City Drug Store.

Drs. Bickley of Merritt, and R. L. Davis of Princeton were in the city Thursday.

Prescriptions filled by registered Pharmacists with pure fresh drugs at City Drug Store.

Ben Farris has accepted a position as driver for the Wells Fargo Express company here.

"White Billows" flour is made from selected wheat. Money refunded if not satisfactory. d & w

Mrs. G. R. Wear of Sherman is in the city visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

Heave cure and stock powders all the good kinds sold at City Drug Store.

Rev. J. H. Bone, of Waluut Grove, came to McKinney last Wednesday on his way to attend the Dallas Presbytery at Plano.

IT MATTERS NOT

How Sick You Are or How Many Physicians Have Failed to Help You.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy will Cure You if a Cure is Possible.

Doctors are not infallible and there are many instances where they have decided a case was hopeless and then the patients astonished everyone by getting well and the sole cause of their cure was Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. A case in point is that of James Lettuce of Canajoharie, N. Y., who writes:

"Some years ago I was attacked with pains in my back and side that were fearful in the extreme. I could not control my kidneys at all and what came from them was mucuous and blood. I was in a terrible state and suffered intensely. A prominent physician of Albany, N. Y., decided that an operation was all that would save me. I dreaded that and commenced to take Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. I felt better almost instantly. When I had taken about two bottles, the flow from the bladder was much cleaner, the pain stopped, and I was saved from the surgeon's knife and am now well."

Dr. W. H. Morse, the famous physician of Westfield, N. J., has this to say of this great medicine:

"I have known it to cure chronic inflammation of the kidneys, where the attending physician pronounced the case incurable."

No form of kidney, liver, bladder or blood disease, or the distressing sicknesses so common to women, can long withstand the great curative power of this famous specific. Its record of cures has made it famous in medical circles everywhere.

It is for sale by all druggists in the **New 50 Cent Size** and the regular $1.00 size bottles—less than a cent a dose.

Sample bottle—enough for trial, free by mail.
Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Rondout, N.Y.

Dr. David Kennedy's Salt Rheum Cream cures Old Sores, Skin and Scrofulous Diseases., 50c.

Mrs. E. E. King and Miss Sarah Webb left Friday for Belton and Waco.

Pure old whiskey, brandy and wines sold on prescription only at City Drug Store.

W. W. (Bud) Scott has accepted a position with Mate Barnett the grocery man.

Over stocked on wall papers. It must go. Bargains for everybody at City Drug Store.

Charles F. Harrison has accepted a position with Knight's dry goods establishment.

You can save money on Wall Paper and Paints now at City Drug Store.

Mrs. C. R. Batte, of Mt. Pleasant and little son, arrived Friday evening on a visit to her father G. M. O'Neal and family.

Take life easy by trading with C. A. Houston. He'll treat you right. Fresh groceries and low prices.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White went to Gainesville Friday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McDowell.

People are becoming more and more accustomed to going to C A. Houston's for groceries that are fresh and cheap.

Miss Irby Cocke was in the city Friday en route to her home in Farmersville after attending the Presbytery at Plano.

Wanted—By Hill & Webb 15,000 to 20,000 No. 1 bois d' arc posts. Will pay highest market price.

Miss Floronce Hoard of Sherman is visiting her aunt Mrs. J. L. Greer and brother Dr. W. T. Hoard.

White mustard, celery seed, turmeric, etc. Don't forget when you make "Chow chow."
SMITH BROS. & Co.

Mrs. W. D. Mountcastle, of Plano returned home Fridayevening after a visit to Mrs. J. L. Todd and other friends.

Pure blood is the key of health, try our Compound Sarsaparilla for the blood, every bottle guaranteed at City Drug Store.

Mrs. F. F. Thweatt of Central Texas, and her brother John Butts of Dallas, have returned home, after attending the Campbell trial.

Mrs. Florence Harrington and children of Hale county arrived last Wednesday for a visit to her uncle A. B. Mays and family.

Mrs. Belle Kelley and daughter, Mrs. John Stiff, Jr. attended the Brown-Douglass nuptials at Van Alstyne Wednesday night.

A bottle of Prickly Ash Bitters kept in the house and used occasionally means good health to the whole household.

Al Bomar, who bas been suffering from rheumatism, returned from Tioga Wells Saturday night where he spent a week. He is greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Roberts were the guests of Rev. J. Orson Miller Sunday. Mr. Roberts is auditor for the M. K. & T. railway company.

Paschal Stacy manager of Duke & Teel's nickle store at Ennis arrived in the city Monday for a visit to his mother Mrs. Ada Stacy.

Miss Cora Caldwell, of Climax, passed through the city today enroute to the Territory, north of Oklahoma City, where she will teach music.

Alfalfa Seed

For first-class Alfalfa seed don't neglect to call on T. L. McMullen near the postoffice.

Rev. J. M. Cocke and daughter Miss Irby, of Farmersville, arrived Wednesday evening enroute to Plano to attend the Dallas Presbytery of the Cumberland church which convened there Thursday.

Stops That Cough and Works Off Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. Cure a cold in one day No cure, no pay. Price 25 eents

J. B. Kerr of Walnut Grove, J. A. Crutcher of Bowlby, Rev. R. E. Chandler, A. B. Mays, and Rev. W. P. Cloyd left Thursday for Plano to attend the Dallas Presbytery of the C. P. church.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Mrs. A. J. Jeter of Foss O. T. who has been visiting her sister Mrs. T. A. Coleman, left Wednesday for Allen to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Spradley.

Hope and Wisdom.

Both are contained in Cheatham's Laxative Chill Tablets. Try them. 25 cts. No cure—no pay.

Mrs. A. C. Thompson has returned to her home in Dallas after spending several days at the bedside of Mrs. Kit Clark who has been sick, but is now improving.

You can't do better than to give your grocery trade to Cebe Houston. His stock represents goodness-from the staples which are needed by every family and which are sold at low prices to the fine things which cost according to quality.

Dr. Pugh, state quarantine officer at Aransas Pass, and daughter Miss Lizzie who is attending school in Sherman, are in the city visiting their brother and uncle D. B. Pugh on South Wilcox street.

The Best Prescription For Malaria

Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form—no cure no pay. Price 50c.

After a several days' visit at the home of G. M. O'Neal in this city, Mrs. John Penn and little son, returned to their home at Greenville Friday. Little William O'Neal accompanied them home.

Pretty Tough to Scratch.

For a living and relief also. Hunt's Cure will cure you of Itch, Tetter, Ringworm, Itching Piles, Eczema. Guaranteed by all dealers.

Second Baptist Church

The writer attended Sunday school at the Second Baptist church Sunday evening. Fairfield can well be proud of this pretty house of worship. The attendance and interest in the services were good. M. T. Jones, superintendent and his co-officers are certainly doing good work in the Sunday school.

Mrs. L. E. Sherwood, formerly of this place but now of Durant I. T., Miss Lottie Rogers of Dallas, and Mrs. D. M. Smith of Sulphur Springs arrived Wednesday and attended the Venus-Rogers nuptials at the Methodist church at night.

Don't Become Discouraged.

But use Simmons' Liver Purifier (tin box.) Many imitations of the original, so be careful and see that it's "Purifier" and manufactured by A. C. Simmons Jr, Medicine Co.

Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Thompson and little daughter returned last Thursday to their home in Ft. Worth, after a visit to the latters parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Abernathy.

For the serious disease that attacks the kidneys, Prickly Ash Bitters is an unfailing remedy. Relieves bachache, swelling of the feet and persistent headache—symptoms which indicate kidney trouble.

Miss Cora Garrison, who has been visiting relatives at Rockwall, has returned home. Her cousin Mrs. Sallie Pickett of Wylie accompanied her for a few days visit.

Everything Comes.

To those that wait, even now and then aches and pains, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Neuralgia, and everything that hurts. Hunt's Lightning Oil keeps off everything except old age and death. Try it. 25 and 50 cts. Satisfaction or money refunded.

Mrs. H. A. McDonald is in receipt of a box of beech-nuts, sent by her daughter Miss Dana, who with her sister Miss Helen and Miss Ida Dowell, is attending Bellwood Seminary at Anchorage Ky. Beech-nuts are a great curiosity to Texas people. Mrs. McDonald will send some of them to E. W. Kirkpatrick for propagation.

A Thanksgiving Dinner

Heavy eating is usually the first cause of indigestion. Repeated attacks inflame the mucous membranes lining the stomach, exposes the nerves of the stomach, producing a swelling after eating, heartburn, headache, sour risings and finally catarrh of the stomach. Kodol relieves the inflammation, protects the nerves and cures the catarrh. Kodol cures indigestion, dyspepsia, all stomach troubles by cleansing and sweetening the glands of the stomach. City Drug Store.

Infants Death.

The six-weeks-old infant of B. F. Wylie, of Princeton, died Friday and was buried at Princeton cemetery Saturday by the side of its mother who passed to the other world a few weeks ago.

Women Need

a constant supply of blood-making material or their systems break down under the constant drain. The very moment there is lack of blood, or when the blood is impoverished, the signal appears upon the face in sallowness or pallor.

The remedy needed is Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic. Nothing else meets this particular condition so well. Use of it has made hundreds of thousands of women look younger and made them feel even younger than they looked. It not only restores strength, energy and beauty, but it is a prompt and certain cure for all ailments peculiar to the sex. It cures because it removes the first cause. It supplies just what nature needs to bring health.

Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic

strengthens debilitated organs, gives tone and elasticity to muscles and ligaments, rounds out wasted tissues and renews the vigor of the nervous system. It helps quickly and just as surely and permanently.

Loss of appetite, of ambition, nervousness, pains in the head, back, kidneys, limbs, muscles, etc., are all cured by Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic.

The following is one of thousands of similar endorsements that we have received:

Houston, Texas, Dec. 4, 1901.

"My father has used your medicine since the War, and when I married in December, 1872, I commenced housekeeping with one bottle of Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic, one bottle of his Wild Cherry Bitters, and two boxes of his Little Liver Pills. I am now nearly sixty-two years of age. Looking backward I feel attached to the old medicines and would not change them for any of the new ones made."

Mrs. J. A. Pickett.

($5,000 guarantee that above testimonial is genuine.)

DR. HARTER'S IRON TONIC

Every bottle of Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic has our "Crescent" trade-mark on the label. Don't accept a substitute—insist on Dr. Harter's.

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Fifty Years the Standard

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Awarded
Highest Honors World's Fair.
Highest tests U.S. Gov't Chemists

Eugene Raburn and Will Cloyd have received their appointments as letter carriers for free mail delivery service which begins Dec. 1st. Their bonds of $1000 each have been signed and forwarded to the post-office department at Washington. Post-master Smith was informed that a substitute carrier would not be appointed for awhile unless it became necessary. The City Council is ready to place the lights as soon as the mail boxes arrive. Everything will be in readiness on time.

How's This.?

We offer one hundred dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure,
F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props.
Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last ten years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by the firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O., Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Jim Bush of Allen left Thursday for West Texas and New Mexico on a weeks prospecting tour. Will Bush and Weeden Franklin accompanied him. They will visit Hereford, Roswell and Mexico. Billie Franklin brother to our fellow townsman Leland Franklin, is post master and station agent at the latter town.

A child of Mrs Geo. T. Benson, when getting his usual Saturday night bath, stepped back against a hot stove which burned him severely. The child was in great agony and his mother could do nothing to pacify him. Remembering that she had a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, she thought she would try it. In less than half an hour after applying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Kellar, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic liniment and especially valuable for burns, cuts, bruises and sprains. For sale by City Drug Store.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Mrs. Rachie Thompson died at her home in Russell addition, at 2 o'clock Thursday, from a conjestive chill. The deceased was twenty-three years of age, and leaves a husband and several children. The funeral took place that afternoon at 5 o'clock. Burrying at Murphy cemetery, five miles east of Plano. Mrs. Thompson was a daughter of J. T. Wood who lives south of McKinney.

For a Bad Cold

If you have a bad cold you need a good reliable medicine like Chamberlain's cough remedy to loosen and relive it, and to allay the irritation and inflammation of the throat and lungs. For sale by City Drug Store.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. Is unequalled for the stomach. Children with weak stomachs thrive on it. First dose relieves. A diet unnecessary.

Cures all stomach troubles

Prepared only by E. C. DEWITT & Co., Chicago
The $1. bottle contains 2½ times the 50c. size

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Guardians, Administrators or other persons needing a bond, or persons wishing to BORROW MONEY, see

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Urinary troubles, Palpitation of the heart, Constipation and stomach disorders, yield at once to

Prickly Ash Bitters

It is a marvelous kidney tonic and system cleanser, strengthens the tired kidneys, helps digestion, regulates the bowels.

PRICE, $1.00.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Choice Kansas Corn.

Hill & Webb have a lot stock on hand, of choice No. 2 Kansas shelled corn, free from smut. Red rust proof oates, choice prairie hay and corn chops, choice McAlister fancy and lump coal, colorado coal, [illegible]. They, also, will [illegible] for all the pecans you will bring them. They want 5 car loads of pecans by December 1st 1902.

Ware house and office near M. K. & T. depot. Phone 112.

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THURSDAY, NOV. 13, 1902

Cleburne is to have a broom factory.

Congressman Cannon, of Illinois, bids fair to be the next speaker of the lower house.

Factories furnish a home market for products. The agricultural citizen should especially support the cotton mill proposition.

The McKinney Gun Club is doing some good advertising for its town throughout Texas, Oklahoma and the Indian Territory.

The Blue Ridge News has unfurled its sails on the Journalistic sea with Judson L. Wilbanks, editor, at the masthead. Success to the new venture.

This is the home of the cotton fiber. Why send it to New England or Liverpool to be manufactured into the finished product, thus paying freight two ways?

The administration is reported to be favorable to statehood for Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona. They will probably be admitted during the early session of the coming congress.

Forty men of the field force of the government bureau of Forestry left Washington on the 10th for southeastern Texas. They are to aid the Kirby Lumber Co. in preserving their 1,250,000 acres of long leaf pine forests.

The promised trolley lines will be built in time. If they are not built by those who now promise them, they will be built by others. Texas has more good and prosperous towns than any State in the Union, and the profits to come of connecting them by the trolley system will not be overlooked by men who put money in such things in order to get a fair per cent on it.—Dallas News.

Cement bids fair to become an important building material of the future. A Canadian paper has the following to say concerning it:

"The use of Portland cement is in its infancy, and the manufacture of it on a large scale is only beginning in this country. Cement promises to replace stone for wall works, to replace stone for paving, to replace brick very largely for building, and to replace lumber where lumber has been used. Indeed, cement will soon be next to steel, perhaps more than steel, the chief building material of this continent. Our houses will soon come to be of cement, and every day sees the field for the use of cement growing at a surprising ratio."

Marriage Licenses

Harrison Rodgers and Miss Emmer Wyatt.

Dallas Pharr and Miss Linnie Sneed.

T. P. Gordon and Miss Clara Bruce.

G. F. Dunafar and Miss Nannie May Crider.

Millington Penrod and Mrs. Mary Boatner.

L. E. Massey and Mrs. M. A. Cameron.

Largely Signed Petition

Virgil Brown has circulated a petition which was largely signed, asking the appointment of Sheriff J. W. Pafford to the position of superintendent of the Old Soldiers' Home at Austin.

Mrs. L. E. McBride and Mrs. W. E. Beggs and children, of Winsboro, mother and sister of Mrs. B. F. Boydstun are her guests today. They stopped over enroute home from a visit in Waco.

Ladi's jackets and caps less than New York cost in Knight's b nkrupt sale.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

J. W. PAFFORD ENDORSED

Throckmorton Camp Puts Him Forward as Candidate for

SUPT. OLD SOLDIERS' HOME

At Austin. Gen. S. D. Lee's Account of Operations at Vicksburg

On Sunday evening J. W. Throckmorton Camp, No. 109, held its regular session, and after the usual opening exercises, minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted.

Committee on tribute to Comrade J. M. Braden, deceased, not being ready to report was granted further time.

On motion a committee of three as follows, W. S. Coffey, C. H. Lake and Thomas R. Murray, was appointed a sick and charity committee, to look into and report the condition, through the papers, of the sick and destitute of the camp.

The camp heartily endorsed Comrade J. W. Pafford for the position of superintendent of the Soldiers' Home at Austin and believe him to be qualified in every particular for the place.

Comrade Pearson read the speech of Gen'l Stephen D. Lee, delivered at Marshalltown Iowa, on the occasion of a reunion of the G. A. R. It was an account of the operations of our army about Vicksburg and during the siege from May to July 4, 1863. We think some of our papers might publish it as it is good reading matter.

We would again call the attention of members that now is the time to pay their dues.

C. H. LAKE, Adj't.

Made An Assignment.

Gabe Lucas, who has been conducting a grocery business in the Johnson building on Tennessee street for several years, filed a deed of assignment for the benefit of all his creditors alike, in the county clerk's office Tuesday, naming Robert Love as assignee.

The liabilities amount to $4106.48. The assets are not known yet, but the papers cover the stock of groceries amounting to about $1500, fixtures, wagon &c. and two residence lots in McKinney. Also notes and accounts.

Following is a list of the creditors:

Fox Grocer Co., account $1,517.59.

Collin County Mill & Elevator Co., account $256.74.

Boren & Stewart, account $650.49

Waple-Platter Grocer Co., Denison, account $59.28.

Shain Packing Co., account $108.99.

A. A. Jackson & Bro., Dallas, account $79.88.

N. Nigro & Co., Dallas, account $38.17.

Schneider & Davis, Dallas, account $27.62.

Stenweider & Stofficuf Co., St. Louis, account $21.75.

Chas. A. Sweet Provision Co., St Louis, account $55.97.

M. W. Johnson, rent $40.

J. B. Hammock of Ft. Worth, notes on account $350.

Mrs. E. D. Moss, McKinney, note $100, note $200 and total $300.

C. C. Nat'l Bank, note $300.

R. G. Wiseman, note $300.

Mr. Lucas' many friends sincerely regret to hear of his temporary financial embarrassment.

Has Accepted Pastorate.

Rev. R. W. Oakes has accepted the pastorate of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Coleman City, Coleman county. He left Monday for Kemp, Kaufman county, where he will visit his parents until December 1st, when he will assume his pastoral duties. Rev. Oakes served the Dallas Presbytery for fourteen months as Presbyterial missionary, or superintendent church extension, during which time his headquarters were at McKinney.

He made many friends here, among whom are the Courier editors, who regret to see him leave.

Rev. Oakes is a man of deep convictions, with stamina to back them. He is a good preacher, consecrated and industrious. We commend him to the people of Coleman City.

Bray Brothers' - Good Bye Sale

Still In Full Blast!

And each day New Bargains are added. Nothing old; Nothing Shelf-worn, but $80,000 of New and Fresh Goods, and they must be sold by January 1st, and now is the time to buy your Winter Goods. . . . . .

Skirts! Skirts!!

One lot of Ladies' Skirts of about fifty, all nice new goods, regular value $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, to close out at only $1.20.

Corsets! Corsets!!

One lot of about 4 dozen Corsets, all nice, clean stock, broken in sizes, $1.00 value, to sell quick at - - - - - 25c

Blankets. Comforts.

Our stock of Blankets consists of one of the strongest lines the markets afford, ranging in price from 40c to $9.00, and they are going now at prices never before heard of Our Comfort stock is now complete. We have them in all prices, 50c to $9.00.

BRAY BROS. Dry Goods Co.

LOCAL NEWS.

Little Mattie Taylor is among the sick.

Coon Giddings returned from a visit to homefolks in Allen.

Alec Rhea of Dallas is in the city the guest of his father Capt. W. A. Rhea.

Willie G. Thomas is in the city for a few days' visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas.

Granville Kerr returned to Denison Monday after a visit to his parents west of McKinney.

Rev. S. W. Smith of Mineral Wells is in the city and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Cooke, this week.

M. C. Gantt of the Long Neck community renews for our weekly and Dallas News at our clubbing rate.

Dr. W. B. Pope the veterinary surgeon has moved from the country to his home recently purchased in the northern part of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F Moore and little daughter returned to their home in Paris Tuesday after a visit to Mrs. Moore's parents Judge and Mrs. T. C. Goodner.

Fred Burks, who has been in the employ of the Wells-Fargo Express company at Waco, is at home again. He has accepted a position with Agent Sims of the same company here.

A. H. Wayne, formerly of St. Louis but who has been in Texas for some time in the horse training business, is now with W. A. Massie. He thinks that Collin county stock is destined to lead.

J. W. Davidson, of Clear Lake was a pleasant caller at our office to renew for our paper. It will be remembered that Mr. Davidson passed through the great Galveston storm. He lived in the Alvin country and had his home entirely blown away. He has bought land near Clear Lake.

E. W. Grove

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

Dr. E. E. King has returned from the convention at Waco.

Eber Merritt went to Farmersville this morning.

Virgil Brown went over to Farmersville today.

Miss Florence Melton went to Farmersville this morning.

Mrs. W. F. Wolford returned to her home in Allen this morning after a visit to Mrs. J. C. Cook.

Miss Alice Thompson left this morning for a visit to friends in Gainesville.

You'll get bargains if you buy blankets and comforts during the bankrupt sale at Knight's.

Dr. R. Neathery, of Farmersville was in the city on business yesterday.

Have you visited Knight's millinery department since the big bankrupt sale commenced?

You can buy a lady's stylishly trimmed hat as cheap as 65 cts. in Knight's bankrupt sale.

Men's $3.50 Goodyear welt shoes only $2 40 in the Knight's bankrupt sale.

The bankrupt goods are going fast at Knight's and the present rate can't last long.

All men's and women's shoes sold in Knight's bankrupt sale for $1.35 and up are warranted solid leather.

Bush Herndon and bride arrived last night to visit his parents J. R. Herndon and wife for a few days.

Miss Annie Taylor, of Durant I. T., arrived last night for a visit to her sister Mrs. George McKinney.

L. Nottingham of Macon, Ga., is now with the McKinney Drug Co. filling the position made vacant by the resignation of J. B. Robinson who left Tuesday for Goldthwaite to accept another.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

COLLIN COUNTY TO THE FRONT

ARTHUR MASSIE'S STALLION LINCOLN KING AND COLTS AT SAN ANTONIO INTERNATIONAL FAIR—CHECK RECEIVED.

W. A. Massie has just received his check for $200 premium money won by his saddle and harness stallion, Lincoln King, and colts at the San Antonio International Fair.

He received premiums in the following entries:

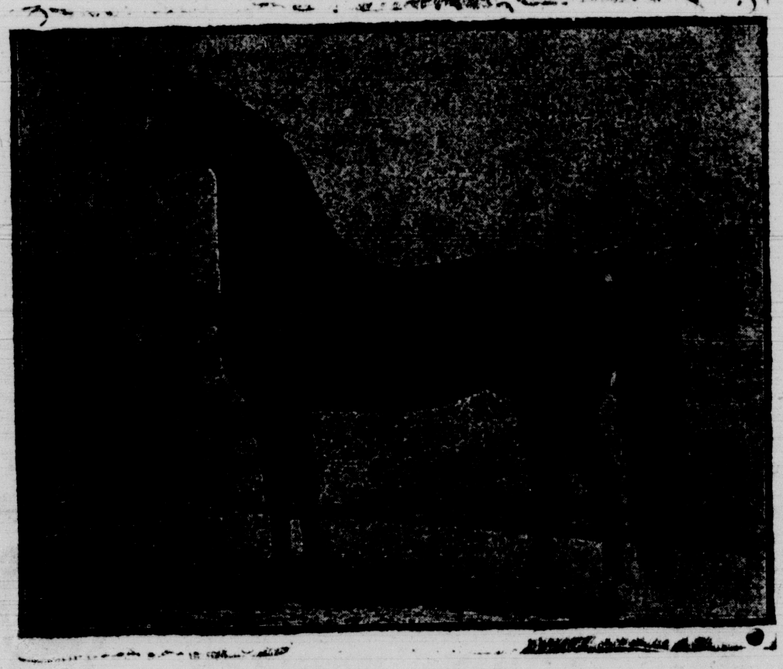
Saddle Ring, 5 years old and over.

Saddle Ring, 2 years and under.

Saddle Ring, 1 year and under.

Best Saddle mare and colt.

Best brood mare and suckling colt.



LINCOLN KING.

Best gaited colt.

Best Filley, saddle, 1 year and under.

Best colt 1902 foal.

Best combination stallion.

Mr. Massie had seven head of stock at the fair, not one of which failed to get a first premium—including in all 9 first and 4 second premiums. This was quite a victory for Collin county as the competition was greater than at the state fair and more money was paid out in premiums.

San Antonio papers rightfully gave Collin first place for saddle horses in all Texas. Indeed Collin's fame in that line is now established throughout the South and in Mexico.

ACT DUE TO POLITICS

Internal Revenue Collector Bingham Removed from Office.

REASON FOR SAME.

Postmaster General Payne Says Late Incumbent Is Partly Responsible for the Exclusion of Colored Republicans.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Julian H. Bingham, collector of internal revenue for the district of Alabama, has been removed from his office and J. O. Thompson appointed to succeed him. The change was made as the result of a political condition which recently arose in Alabama. Colored Republicans were excluded from participating in the Republican state convention and Collector Bingham was held responsible, at least in a measure, for their exclusion.

Postmaster General Payne visited the white house Monday, and as he left the executive offices made public a statement defining the reason for the removal:

"The change in the office of collector of internal revenue for the district of Alabama in no wise reflects upon the integrity or ability of Mr. Bingham, the incumbent. It is one of those things which occasionally happens in politics. The position taken by Republicans of Alabama in their recent state convention as understood by the Republicans of the north is looked upon as a perversion of the fundamental principles of the Republican party, and Mr. Bingham is in a measure held responsible for that action; hence the change.

"Neither the administration nor the Republican party of the north will stand for the exclusion of any section of our people by reason of their race or color, when in other respects such persons have complied with the laws and are eligible under the law to full and free participation in political action, and are of a high standard of personal character. In other words, there are not 100 colored men in Alabama who come up to the requirements of the recently adopted state constitution and are eligible for participation in political affairs and the action of the Republicans state convention referred to in arbitrarily excluding them is not approved any more than such action would be approved if it were taken in Ohio or Indiana."

Mr. Thompson, the appointee, is a brother of Representative Thompson of Alabama. He is a Republican, although his brother represents a Democratic district.

Thompson's Successor.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The president has appointed John S. Webb, postmaster at Tuskegee, Ala. vice Joseph O. Thompson, appointed collector of internal revenue of Alabama.

Discussed Canal Treaty.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Secretary Hay was in conference with Senator Cullom, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, and also with Senator Morgan, the senior member of the minority of the same committee. Canal matters were under discussion, and the secretary was able to show that substantial progress is making toward the completion of a treaty with the Colombian government conveying the necessary rights for the construction of a canal across the isthmus of Panama. In fact, so well have the negotiations progressed lately between Secretary Hay and Senor Concha, the Colombian minister, that it is now expected by the end of the present year all of the phases of the preparation will have been disclosed and little will remain to be done to conclude the convention. It can be stated that the attiude of the Colombian negotiations presents no insurmountable obstacle, and that a treaty can be framed acceptable to both sides, yet in strict conformity with the spirit of the Spooner act.

Motion to Advance Made.

Washington, Nov. 11.—A motion to advance the case of Robert L. Wineberger vs. Edw. C. Forney was made in the United States supreme court Monday. Forney was a land entrymanman in the Cherokee outlet in 1893, and went to that territory from an adjoining Indian reservation, on which account the legality of this entry is questioned. The Oklahoma court dockets are said to contain a number of similar cases; hence the motion to advance.

Full Instructions Supplied.

Washington, Nov. 11.—While the Cuban reciprocity treaty remains in Havana President Palma has supplied Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister here, full instructions as to the representations to be made to the United States government respecting it, and these have already been made known to Secretary Hay.

Unpleasant Impression.

Rome, Nov. 11.—The arrest of Mascagni, the Italian composer, at Boston, has caused an unpleasant impression and much indignant comment is heard. The papers ask if, in view of the personality of Mascagni, his arrest could not have been avoided, and inquire what would have been said in the United States if Mark Twain had been arrested in Rome for law-breaking through ignorance.

Will Contest.

Asheville, N. C., Nov. 11.—Congressman Moody, Republican, who was defeated by James H. Gudger, Democrat, in this district, has filed a notice that he will contest Gudger's election.

WARNED TO LEAVE.

Negroes Declined to Do So and Some Shots Were Exchanged.

Beaumont, Tex., Nov. 11.—Late Sunday night a gang of white men went to a negro settlement near the oil field known as Little Arfica, for the purpose of warning the negroes to leave. They arrived there, warned the negroes that they must leave at once or be killed. The negroes thought differently about it, and when a shot was fired by the attacking party it was returned at once. From the number of shots fired it appeared that was a battle in the dark, but the net result was the wounding of one man and the waste of a lot of ammunition. Max Weyrich of San Antonio, the wounded, who is not badly hurt, said:

"The whole trouble is caused by the negroes' cutting wages in the oil field. We determined not to stand it any longer and went there to drive them out. There was a fight and I got a load of buckshot in the leg. I was the only man who was injured."

The sheriff's department were on the outlook all day, Monday, but Weyrich is the only man who admits that he was present. The negroes expect further trouble and are prepared for it, it is said.

SAW CANE AND RICE.

The Chicago Business Men on Monday Witnessed the Novel Sight.

Houston, Nov. 11.—The Chicago business men put in most of Monday looking over the cane and rice country in the coast district. They left San Antonio early Monday morning and the first stop was at Victoria, where they were given a reception and told all about the country. They spent some little time at Wharton, where the usual reception was accorded them and they were given their first sight of the rice country, which spreads over many thousands of acres. At El Campo there was an exhibition of rice and a hearty welcome awaiting them. They were shown rice in all its stages and had rice to eat as well. At Sugarland they put in a short time watching the harves of the cane crop and the operations of the sugar mills and paper mill, thence they were escorted to Houston by a party of business men. They departed at 4 o'clock for Galveston, where they spent the remainder of the afternoon. The party is very enthusiastic over its tour.

Galveston's Greeting.

Galveston, Nov. 11.—The Galveston Clearing House association gave a smoker for the entertainment of the Chicago bankers and business men at Harmony Club hall Monday night. A short reception in the parlors of the Tremont hotel preceded the event.

SINGLE STATEHOOD.

Convention at Ardmore Requested the Granting of Self-Government.

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 11.—About 100 delegates, representing nearly every section of the Chickasaw nation, met in convention Monday to perfect an organization to be maintained for the purpose of interesting congress to lessen the burdens of citizenship by providing adequate legislation to meet conditions.

S. W. Hayes of Ryan was chosen chairman and F. Finis Fox of Ardmore secretary.

A resolution declaring for union with Oklahoma was voted down. The sentiment among the delegates was that statehood at present was impossible. Practically the only fight that came up in the convention was the statehood issue. The majority of the committee on resolutions favored single statehood. A minority report, however, signed by W. H. Campbell of Ada, was adopted, after which the convention adjourned. This report called for local self-government

Begins His Fight.

Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 11.—W. M. Cross, the Democratic candidate for delegate to congress from Oklahoma, has commenced his fight to contest the election of H. S. McGuire. His attorneys have brought mandamus proceedings against the election commissioners of Comanche county to compel them to count several hundred alleged mutilated ballots, which, if counted, Cross says will result in giving him a majority of 111 over McGuire. The ballots in question, it is alleged, were each voted twice for Cross, the circle being stamped opposite his names in both the Populist and Democratic tickets.

Perry Held in Bail.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 11.—George L. O. Perry, the negro who admits that he pawned the watches taken from Clara A. Morton and Agnes McPhee, who were murdered in Waverly and Somerville last month, was taken to court Monday. After a conference between the state officers and Judge C. Almy, Perry was ordered held as a witness against Mason. His bail was fixed at $1000.

Site Selected.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Assistant Secretary Taylor of the treasurey department has selecfed a site for the Federal building at Laredo, Tex., on the square bounded by Salinas and Juarez avenues and Matamoras and Houston streets; price, $10,800.

Big Blaze.

Rogers, Tex., Nov. 11.—The dry gods store of Culberson and Lagrone was destroyed by fire Monday morning. The combined losses will aggregate over $25,000.

Went Dry.

Llano, Tex., Nov. 11.—Local option has carried at Castell, a German settlement in this county, by four majority. Llano is now the only precinct in the county that remains wet.

ANOTHER ELECTRIC RAILROAD

STONE & WEBSTER OF BOSTON WHO RECENTLY COMPLETED DEAL FOR THE DALLAS STREET RAILROAD PROMOTORS.

FROM CITY OF DALLAS TO M'KINNEY

Proposition Has Been Under Consideration For a Week or More. Auditor G. E. Tripp Will Arrive in McKinney Sometime Today Armed With Means of Acquiring Information.

The following notice appeared in Tuesday's News. It seems to be authentic and the company at the back of the movement have the capital, and seem to mean business.

The talk which has leaked out in driblets for the last week or more of an interurban line between Dallas and McKinney seems, on the face of things to be reaching a point of definite fact.

It is stated that Stone & Webster of Boston, having practically completed the street railway deal in Dallas have now turned their attention to interurban lines which would not only be of value in themselves, but of value as feeders of the Dallas system of street railways.

It is understood that G. E. Trip, auditor of the firm mentioned, whose efforts have been largely responsible for the completion of the recent deal in Dallas, will some time today leave for McKinney, armed with maps and other means of acquiring absolutely accurate information, in order to perfect the final steps by which Stone & Webster will be in a position to build this line in the very near future.

The firm, it is known, has been for some time keeping its weather eye upon suitable sites for interurban rights of way of lines which should be feeders to the new Metropolitan system, and this is believed to be the first of a number of similar lines to receive attention.

This is one, which from its distance, can see much more territory than actually covered by its local system, and it is stated that the consolidation of the roads in the city of Dallas was but a part, a very necessary part, of a deal or project for building a great system of electric interurban lines with Dallas possibly only for the present, a central point.

Should these lines be built they would operate not only as feeders to the street railway system of Dallas, but to its wholesale and retail business as well, making such a movement one of importance to the public.

In surveying a proposed route for an interurban line, the greatest care must be exercised. There are so many things upon which the success of the venture depends that only the most trusted lieutenants of the big corporations who construct and operate properties of this kind are assigned to the work.

In surveying the North Texas field, the fact has been and is to be, kept in mind that no line must be built through a country that has a population of less than 1,000 to the square mile. For instance, in the case of the projected line to McKinney, every foot of the territory must be gone over in order to make sure that it posesses that requisite.

Besides investigating the prospects for profit in this line to the north it is also the intention of those interested in the Metropolitan company to send representatives into all the other country which surrounds Dallas. One man may be sent to Ennis, another to Terrell and a third to Waxahachie, and so on.

Within a short time it is expected that the purpose for which the $8,500,000, which represents the capital stock of the Dallas Electric Corporation is to be used, will be made evident.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

Fannie Duff, the little four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duff who live northeast of McKinney, died Sunday night from diphtheria and was buried at Stiff Chapel cemetery next evening at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Roaidie Reed, aged seventy six years, died Monday at her home near Culleoka from paralysis. She was a sister to Carroll Renfro. The funeral took place Tuesday eve. Burial at Wilson's Chapel cemetery.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Williams who live near Altoga died Monday and was buried at Altoga cemetery next afternoon.

We want a copy of The Democrat for each of the following dates. Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, 1902. We will pay liberally for these copies to complete our 1902 file. Any of our friends who have these issues will do us a great favor by sending or bringing them to us.

The case of T. E Ball charged with killing N. T. Shatley in late winter which went to trial yesterday is now with the jury. The testimony was completed this morning when the argument was begun. Assistant County Attorney Brown made the opening speech for the state, and was followed by L. C. Clifton and W. T. Beverly for the defense County Attorney Wallace Hughston made the closing speech for the state.

Startling!

REDUCTION IN

MILLINERY.

In order to reduce my Stock by the first of January, I will, beginning

Monday; Nov. 10th,

SELL GOODS LOWER THAN EVER BEFORE SOLD IN McKINNEY. SEE MY STOCK BEFORE BUYING. RESPECTFULLY,

Mrs. W. E. Marshall,

OVER WHITE DRY GOODS COMPANY.

START ON JOURNEY.

President and Party Leave for Their Two Weeks' Hunting Trip.

Washington, Nov. 11.—President Roosevelt left Washington Monday to be absent nearly two weeks. He was accompanied by Secretary George B. Cortelyou and his physician, Dr. Lung, of the navy. In addition a corps of servants and secret service officers are in the party. They went to New York.

The president and his party leave New York on a special train over the Pennsylvania for Memphis, going by way of Pittsburg, Cincinnati and Louisville and arriving at Memphis Thursday morning. From Memphis the president will go to Mississippi on a bear hunt as the guest of President Fish, of the Illinois Central railroad. He will be absent on the hunt five days. No itinerary of this part of the trip is made public. Indeed, it would be impossible at this time to indicate, even approximately, the route to be followed by the president after leaving Memphis.

The president will return to Memphis on the morning of Wednesday, the 19th inst., and during that day and evening will participate in the celebration in honor of Gen. Luke E. Wright, vice governor of the Philippines. He will deliver a speech on that occasion.

At midnight of the 19th the president and his party will start for Washington, arriving there on the morning of Friday, the 21st inst. That day will be spent here. On the morning of the 23d the president will go to Philadelphia to attend the exercises of Founders' day, returning again to Washington on the morning of the 23d.

YOAKUM'S STATEMENT.

President of Frisco Line Submits His Annual Report to Stockholders.

St. Louis, Nov. 11.—The annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad company was held at the general offices in this city. President Yoakum's annual report for the year ending June 30, 1902, compared with the previous year, makes the following showing:

Gross earnings from operations $21,620,882, increase $2,296,603.

Operating expenses $13,472,470; increase, $2,062,583.

Net earnings for the operation $8,148,411; increase, $234,020.

Miscellaneous income, making total net income, $8,345,572; increase $342,371.

Surplus, less interest, rentals, taxes, improvement and dividends, etc., $1,472,197, decrease $524,961.

Former Texan.

Lometa, Tex., Nov. 11.—All the old-time stockmen of Texas are rejoicing over the election of John Sparks as governor of Nevada. Gov. Sparks is a native of Lampasas county, Texas, and is the first Texan that was ever elected governor of another state.

Years ago Governor Sparks was a cowboy and teamster in this county and used to haul freight with an ox team from Houston and Austin to Lampasas and other towns in this part of Texas. For the last twenty years he has been one of the largest and most successful ranchmen in all of the United States and is rated as several times a millionaire.

Governor Sparks has a brother and many other relatives living in this county.

Saw the President.

Knoxville, Nov. 11.—A special to the Sentinel from Asheville, N. C., says:

Senator Prichard leaves for Washington, where he will discuss with President Roosevelt a statement he is preparing to send out regarding the recent election and his attitude toward the negro in southern politics. Senator Prichard expressed himself as far from discouraged by the result in North Carolina, but claims that his party made large gains. Senator Pritchard has agreed to appear with Hon. Thos. Settle as representatives of Congressman Moody in the contest against Congressman-elect Gudger of the Asheville district.

Pleaded Guilty to Incest.

Greenville, Tex., Nov. 11.—Tom Summers, who was convicted in the district court last Friday and given an eight-year sentence in the penitentiary on a charge of incest, pleaded guilty Monday in five cases of incest and was given two years in each case. The eight-year sentence was reduced to two years, the case in which he received this sentence being included in the plea of guilty. The case of criminal assault against defendant was dismissed.

Baptists Adjourn.

Waco, Nov. 11.—The chief business of the last day's session of the Baptist convention was the reading of reports of the Baptist Women Mission Workers of Texas.

Rev. B. R. Womack read the report of the committee on negro population. It recommended that aid be extended the colored race, and in all things see to elevate negroes religiously and morally. Much discussion ensued, durwhich lynching was deprecated.

Mascagni Retaliates.

Boston, Nov. 11.—Pietro Mascagni, the composer, who was arrested Saturday night on a process in a suit brought by his former managers, Mittenthal Bros., was released after a hearing in the superior court Monday on $4000 bond, which he himself furnished. Mascagni immediately retaliated by suing the Mittenthals for $50,000 damages for false arrest.

Preston Selected.

Austin, Nov. 11.—Architect Preston of this city succeeds the late J. L. O'Connor in charge of the construction of the epileptic building at Alleee.

Chaffee and Wright Arrive.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—The transport Sumner, with General Chaffee and Vice Governor Wright aboard, arrived Monday night.

REPLIES TO CHARGES

General Hughes Quotes an Extract From an Epistle.

A PAMPHLET IN CASE

The Burning of Iloilo, it is Said by the Officer, Was the Work of Insurgents and Not of the Eighteenth.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The war department has made public a statement by General R. P. Hughes in reply to charges contained i na letter written by Henry Loomis Nelson in a Boston newspaper August 25, 1902, and which letter is embraced i na pamphlet signed by Charles Francis Adams, Carl Schurz, Edward Barrett Smith and Herbert Welsh, committee, under the title of "Marked Severties, Secretary Root's Record in the Philippines Warfare."

General Hughes quoted the following extract from the letter:

"The Eighteenth regulars marched from Iloilo in the south to Capiz in the north of Panay under orders to burn every town from which they were attacked. The result was they left a strip of land sixty miles wide from one end of the island to the other, over which the traditional crow could not have flown without provisions. That is what burning means, and more. It is not done for the fun of the thing but out of stern necessity."

General Hughes who commanded in Panay at the time says the burning of Iloilo was shown by the official records of the insurgent council to have been the work of the insurgents. He says the troops by "some work, some fighting and much exposure to fire were able to wrench a portion of Iloilo from the flames."

After reviewing the work of the Eighteenth infantry in the province of Panay, General Hughes says:

"It has thus been shown that the Eighteenth regiment of regulars had no order to burn all towns from which they were attacked, and that they did not leave a strip of land sixty miles wide from one end of the island to the other over which the traditional crow colud not have flown without provisions," but as a matter of fact did leave the country uninjured; the towns and villages intact; the roads improved; bridges rebuilt and the 500,000 natives of the section covered were left in the full enjoyment of their property and rights."

KING'S BIRTHDAY.

Divine Services Attended by German Emperor, Held at Sandringham Church.

Sandringham, Nov. 10.—The weather Sunday was perfect and mild and the bright sunshine brought crowds of visitors to Sandringham on the chance of seeing Emperor William. The approaches to the church were lined with spectators. Queen Alexandra, the Prince of Wales and Mrs. Chamberlain arrived at the church together. Half an hour later King Edward, Emperor William, Prime Minister Balfour, Colonial Secretary Chamberlain, and other distinguished persons arrived and stood chatting outside. King Edward talked with Mr. Chamberlain for a few minutes, then the emperor of Germany approached and for a quarter of an hour the emperor and Mr. Chamberlain stood apart and conversed earnestly. The service had begun and the anthem had been reached before the royal party entered the church, the king taking the emperor's arm.

The bishop of Ripon preached on the possibility of the disappearance of race distinctions and the attaining of the grand brotherhood of man.

Fired Salutes.

Panama, Nov. 10.—At noon Sunday the British, American and Chilean men-of-war fired a salute of 21 guns in honor of the anniversary of the birthday of King Edward.

MASON THE MAN.

Perry Says He Received the Pawned Articles From That Individual.

Boston, Nov. 10.—George L. O. Perry, the negro who pawned the watches taken from the murdered woman, Miss Clara A. Morton, and Miss Agnes McPhee, declares that Alan G. Mason is the man from whom he received these articles. Perry was taken to the jail in East Cambridge, where Mason, under arrest on the charge of killing Miss Morton, is confined pending a hearing in the Cambridge court. In one of the jail corridors, Perry positively identified Mason as the man who had given him the two watches. Mason, by neither look nor word, betrayed any knowledge of having seen Perry before. When questioned by Sheriff Fairbairn, Mason merely said: "I do not know this men, I never saw him before."

Headed by Child's Father.

Mobile, Ala., Nov. 10.—A mob gathered about the central police station Sunday with the intention of lynching Lewis Wyatt, a negro, who that day assaulted Maria Constance, a little white girl og 6 years. The child's father headed the mob. The chief of police assured the crowd that the negro would be punished, but told them they must let the law take it's course. The mob dispersed.

All Walked Out.

Steubenville, O., Nov. 10.—The machinists at the National Steel company's mill at Mingo Junction are out on a strike. They have just organized and presented their scale, but it was not signed and one member of the committee was discharged, so all walked out.

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Democrats made large gains in Northern cities.

Gainesville is willing to be connected with McKinney by a Trolley line.

The anti local option plank in the state republican platform did not result in the anticipated rush to the G. O. P.

At a rally last night of the Baptists assembled at Waco to attend the convention, $15,000 was contributed to Buckner Orphan's Home.

Sheriff Pafford would make an admirable superintendent of the old soldiers home at Austin for which position he was, yesterday, put forward as a candidate by the local ex-confederate camp.

We are in receipt of a little booklet from the Farm and Ranch It is a pithy description of that excellent journal, elegantly printed. The Farm and Ranch is equipped with an able corps of workers, has a large circulation and is doing much for Texas development.

An exchange has discovered that the moon gets full, but she goes on shining; the rain drops but it gets up again; the stars shoot, but do not kill; the willows weep but never shed a tear; night falls, but doesn' break; day breaks but doesn't fall; the fly swallows and the swallows fly; the bees buzz and so do the girls.

We acknowledge an order for fifty extra copies of The Courier from Mr. and Mrs. Dave Venus. It is a pleasure indeed to meet with gratitude in the busy tiresome every day grind of newspaper life. Too many people unthoughtedly expect a newspaper to daily mirror the happenings of the community and then give their papers away.

A citizen was overheard to make an ungallant remark on the street the other day. He said his neighbor was speaking to him about the heavy expense connected with keeping a family, and asked: "Don't you find it so?" "No I use my wife's temper for a furnace, her feet for a refrigerator, her company manners for sugar, and then we have tongue all the year round, so you see my expenses are very light."—Western Publisher.

The Denison Herald takes up a column editorial explaining "why it happened. It points to republican victory in Ohio. Kansas, Nebraska and other states as a result of the democratic party being tainted with populism and says: "In the states where the greatest Democratic gains were made, the campaign was along honest Democratic lines. It was the plain, old, unvarnished Democracy without any taint of Populism."

It being a fact that in New York where the democratic party made tbe largest gains the platform contained a plank declaring for public ownership of the anthracite coal mines, one of the most radical demands of populism. The Herald's explanation needs explaining.

Conant King left Friday evening for Waco, where he will attend the Baptist State Convention and visit his brother Eustace, who is attending Baylor University.

Mrs. Tom Mott, of Millwood who has been visiting Bob Roberts and family here, returned home Friday morning.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures catarrh—it soothes and strengthens the mucous membrane and builds up the whole system.

Melissa Newsy Letter.

Miss Mary McDonald of McKinney is guest of her Aunt Mrs. Joe Cline.

Prof. J. Vestal and brother visited homefolks at Whitewright Sunday.

Miss Mary Lou Reid is visiting her sister Mrs. Dr. Fender of Lanius.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Douglas and Mrs. J. E. Hunter attended the burial of Mrs. M. S. Haney at Bonham, Oct. 26th.

Public school opened Monday with Prof. J. Vestal principal and Miss Allie Wysong assistant. They are both very able teachers and we feel that the school will be managed splendidly and great advancement will be noticed in the studies of all the pupils.

Rev. A. L. Clinkinbeard has returned from Omaha Neb., where he attended the great convention of the Christian church.

Capt. T. M. Scott and Mrs. J. H. Coffman have been on the sick list.

With sad hearts we learn of the death of Mrs. M. A. Haney of Bonham which occurred on Oct. 25th. She was mother of Mrs. J. W. Douglas and Mr. Henry Morgan. She was an exemplary christian woman and beloved by all who knew her. Her noble life should be a perfect example for others to emulate.

Dr. Smith and wife of Dallas have moved to our Villa and we're glad to welcome them to our town. Dr. Smith was married to Miss Maggie Burnett in Dallas, Sunday, Nov. 2nd. Miss Maggie is the accomplished daughter of Rev. R. H. H. Burnett, our evangelist, who has done so much good in Texas. Dr. Smith is a splendid physician and we bespeak for him success in his profession.

Laurence Martin and Miss Lula Finley of McKinney were married Wednesday evening Nov. 5th. Mr. Martin is an honest industrious farmer and has many friends here having been reared near Melissa. Miss Finley has those noble traits of character that make a lovely woman and well worthy of her noble young usband.

The Best Remedy for Croup

(Atchison, Kan., Daily Globe.)

This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedies for croup is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The croup remedies are almost as sure to be lost, in case of croup, as a revolver is sure to be lost in case of burglars. There used to be an old fashioned remedy for croup, known as hive syrup and tolu, but some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better, and does not cost so much. It causes the patient to "throw up the phlegm" quicker, and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by City Drug Store.

Mrs. F. A. Goode, of Hanstonville Ky., and grand-daughter Mrs. Ella Frazier, of Lexington Ky., arrived Firday evening for a visit to the formers daughter, Mrs. R. N. Adams. Mrs. Goode will spend the winter in McKinney.

Cured of Piles After 40 Years

Mr. C. Haney, of Geneva, Ohio had the piles for forty years. Doctors and dollars could do him no lasting good. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him permanently. Invaluable for cuts, burns, bruises, sprains, lacerations, eczema, tetter, salt rheum and all other skin diseases. Look for the name DeWitt on the package—all others are cheap, worthless counterfeits. City Drug Store.

WEDDING BELLS.

"What therefore God hath joined together let not man put asunder." Although for several days the heavens have been overcast with clouds, dark and threatening, and under foot is mud and slush, which caused those who could to keep within the precincts of home, the occasion at the M. F. church Wednesday which never grows old but has ever been fraught with interest to mankind, presented a scene of spring time beauty that gave no hint of outside conditions, but drew a throng of favor d friends, to witness the first marriage solemnized in the new church.

The hand-some edifice was resplendent with light and beautiful with a wealth of artistically placed flowers, the work of the Dorcas girls for a fellow member and one whom they loved.

Miss Lula Allison, escorted by Dr. B, F. Houston, took her place at the organ and to the entrancing notes of Mendessohn's wedding march, David M. Venus and Miss Foncine Rogers slowly advanced to the altar. preceeded by Edgar Ousley of Whitewright and Peyton Westmoreland, as ushers. As they took their places before the pastor, Dr. John H. McLean, in one of the most solemn and beautiful ceremonies ever heard sealed the compact that united two hearts for companionship adown the pathway of life.

The bride carried a bouquet of roses and was attired in a beautiful dress of Castor crepe de chine with jewelled trimmings. She wore a large hat.

The groom wore the conventional black.

Mr. Venus is a highly esteemed young business man, sober, honorable and upright and is now engaged as manager of the North Texas Grain Co., a business that is continually growing.

Miss Leone is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rogers, a sweet, refined and true womanly woman, who has ever been a joy and comfort to her home, a pleasure to her friends and is calculated to fill with credit, any station in life and her gentle influence cannot fail to bring a blessing to her husband.

After the ceremony a few friends spent the remainder of the evening at the home of the bride, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion and where delicious cream and cake were served to the guests.

Many handsome and beautiful bridal presents were sent in.

What is reported to have been one of the prettiest and most up to date social functions ever seen in that city, was the marriage last Wednesadyat the M. E. church in Van Alstyne, of S. L. Brown and Miss Alma Douglass.

The groom was attended by his brother and the bride was given away by her sister. The bridesmaids were attired in pure white with black picture hats.

One hundred guests were entertained at the home of the bride after the marriage where a course luncheon was served.

L. A. Martin and Miss Lula Finley drove to McKinney Thursday afternoon and were married at the residence of Elder R. R. Hamlin, who officiated. The groom is a son of Jesse Martin of near Melissa, one of the oldest and best known families in the county, and is a brother to Gene Martin of this city, The bride is the pretty daughter of C. A. Finley, a prosperous farmer who lives two miles northeast of McKinney. She is well known here and has numerous friends whose best wishes will follow them to their home at Melissa.

Colds

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W. C. Layton, Sidell, Ill.

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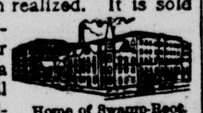
Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of **Swamp-Root** is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.


Home of Swamp-Root.

Dallas Pharr and Miss Linnie Sneed were married last evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother Mrs. M. J. Sneed, near Lucas, Rev. R. E. Chandler, pastor C. P. church of this city, officiating.

The ceremony was witnessed by relatives and a few close friends, numbering about sixty persons altogether.

At 7 o'clock refreshment were served. Many handsome and useful presents were sent in.

The groom in this happy event is a highly respected young farmer, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pharr of Lucas.

The bride is a splendid young lady, intelligent, refined and domestic and will make a most excellent wife. She is a sister to J. H. and Miss Ruth Sneed of this city.

The Democrat wishesthe newly wedded pair perfect happiness and great success in life.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kerr, Miss Grace and J. G. Kerr of Vineland cousins to the bride, J. H. Sneed and family and Miss Ruth Sneed, attended the nuptials, also Rev. Glenn Sneed of Trinity University, Waxahachie.

Irrigation for General Crops

The success which has followed the irrigation of rice in both Louisiana and Texas, is gradually leading the public mind to a point where the farmer is wondering if he could not properly apply the system to the growth of other crops. The discovery that the prairies of the Coast Country are located over inexhaustible stratas of fine fresh water has, or at least will in a measure, emancipate the small rice grower from the necessity of purchasing his water supply from the canal companies. The complete success of the individual well system has already caused the establishment of shallow wells throughout the rice belt and one 6-inch well will supply sufficient water to irrigate one hundred acres of rice. To do this it must flow or pump over a million gallons of water daily, and do so for not less than three months.

The query naturally goes forth that if rice can be grown by irrigation why cannot corn, cotton, oats, potatoes, etc., be raised under like conditions, the only difference being that the weight of argument is with the farmer of diversified products because he need only irrigate when his crop demands moisture. The small well irrigation system has been applied to the growing of garden truck in and about Beeville with marked success, and the time has arrived when the farmer, other than the rice grower, should avail himself of the opportunities offered for profitable cultivation by making use of the great water supply Providence has located easily within reach of a moderate pumping plant, and this expense even the small grower may undergo in view of the revolution it would make in his methods—Lit. Bu. S. P.

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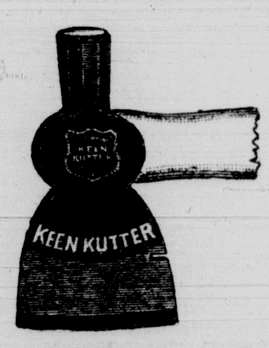

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1md tfinw. R. J. BENSON.

BOILER BLEW UP.

Two Men Were Killed and the Building Literally Ripped to Pieces.

New York, Nov. 10.—Two were killed and one of the pumping stations of the city's water supply system in Queenborough totally destroyed Sunday by the explosion of one of two big boilers which furnished power for the pumps. The killed: William Dihoy, engineer of the plant, Jas. Nelson, fireman.

The building was ripped to pieces. Bricks from it flew a distance of a thousand feet or more while the boiler which exploded was hurled 200 feet from its bed. The other boiler which was not in use at the time was lifted from its foundations and thrown a hundred feet in the other direction. The body of the engineer was hurled about 150 feet from the spot where he is supposed to have been standing. Scaling of the boiler is supposed to have caused the explosion.

Cathedral Rector Dead.

New Orleans, Nov. 10.—Very Rev. H. S. Hignot, for 32 years rector of the New Orleans cathedral, is dead. He was born in Neuits, France, in 1842.

Choate a Member.

New York, Nov. 10.—Joseph H. Choate, American ambassador, has been elected a member of the exclusive new club, cables the London correspondent of the Times.

Last spike to be driven in the International railway extension to Fort Worth will be of pure gold.

American Automobilist Acquitted.

New York, Nov. 10.—In June last an automobile belonging to Trafford Huteson of Omaha, Neb., ran down and killed a shepherd between Lieusaint and Melun, cables the Paris correspondent of the Herald. Mr. Huteson was condemned by the police court of Melum to 8 days' imprisonment and a fine of $60. The case was appealed and the Ninth correctional chamber has acquitted Huteson and exonerated him from all blame.

Ex-President Barillas Dead.

New York, Nov. 10.—A private dispatch received here announces the death, says a Herald dispatch from the city of Mexico, of General Manuel Lisando Barillas, former president of Guatemala, and a colonel in the Guatemala army, as the result of asphyxiation by volcanic gas in the vicinity of the Santa Maria volcano, where General Barillas owned a large coffee plantation.

Signed by Loubet.

Paris, Nov. 10.—President Loubet signed the law providing for pensioning the widows and orphans of civil and military officers who lost their lives at the time of the recent volcanic disasters in the island of Martinique.

No Minister to Be Sent.

Paris, Nov. 10.—Foreign office received official dispatch from Caracas, saying President Castro was unable to send a minister to Paris, owing to the present disturbed condition of Venezuela. Diplomatic relations between the two countries have been suspended for the past eight years, France being temporarily represented by the charge d'affairs at Caracas. Owing to the present revolution France desired to establish a minister near the scene and recently addressed President Castro suggesting the French minister assume his post when the Venezuelan minister to France was appointed. This answer is regarded as indicating Castro's position is too precaricus to warrant any one of prominence accepting the post there.

Amusing Incident.

Terrell, Tex., Nov. 10.—A young man living at Elmo and a young lady of that town were victims of an amusing incident at that place. They were handling a pair of handcuffs and the young man fastened one ring of the cuffs around his wrist and then locked the other around the young woman's wrist, just to amuse a crowd of young people who were witnessing the performance. After having a little fun over the incident, she took the key and started to unlock the cuffs, but broke the key off in the effort and the couple were obliged to go to a blacksmith shop together and get the cuffs cut in two to get released from each other.

Will Not Be Club's Guest.

Memphis, Nov. 10.—The Commercial-Appeal says: "President Roosevelt and party will not be the guests of the Ozark Hunting and Fishing club this week, but, on the contrary will go after bear in the vicinity of Greenville, Miss.

John H. McDowell, president of the Ozark Hunting and Fishing club, late Saturday night received a message from George S. Cortelyou, secretary to the president, in which he expressed regret that it would be impossible for the presidential party to accept the invitation of the club for its bear hunt this week.

Farmers Held Up.

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 10.—W. S. Fulland J. M. Lauderdale farmers, while returning to Burneyville from Marietta, where they had marketed cotton, were held up and robbed by highwaymen. The robbers secured about $300. The officers have traced the men near Marietta.

Crown Prince at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Nov. 10.—The crown prince of Siam broke his western journey by a two hours' stop here, the time being spent in a drive through the city.

Nearly Destroyed,

Beaver Falls, Pa., Nov. 10.—The extensive plant of the Keystone Driller company was almost totally destroyed here today. The loss is $100,000 with insurance of $55,000.

AT ALAMO CITY.

Chicago Business Men Have an Enjoyable Visit to San Antonio on Sunday.

San Antonio, Nov. 10.—The Chicago delegation of business men Sunday spent one of the most enjoyable days thus far experienced in their Texas tour, in Austin in the Alamo city. The weather, which has been hitherto first cold, then rainy, was that of an ideal summer day.

Leaving Austin at 10 o'clock, after an early morning tour of the city by trolley, a stop of half an hour was made at the historic German town New Braunfels, where the most beautiful natural park of Texas is situated.

The San Antonio delegation, headed by President L. J. Hart of the Business Men's club, whose guests the Chicago men are at this point, boarded the train and a fast run was made to this city.

When the special arrived, shortly after 2 o'clock, tallyhos, park breaks and carriages were in waiting and the entire party, which has increased by the addition of railway officials and local delegations to twice its original number, proceeded to take in all the points of interest about San Antonio.

Through the principal business streets the cortege moved, after which a two mile drive brought the visitors to Fort Sam Houston, the military post of the department of Texas. Gen. Fred Grant, the recently appointed commander of the post, surrounded by the officers of his staff, shook the hand of each member of the party and an inspection of the post followed. Then for three hours through Breckenridge park and San Pedro park, Laurel Heights, the latter the fashionable residence portion of the city, and past the innumerable small "plazas" that beautify the city, the drive was continued, the visitors being at length deposited at the Menger hotel, where dinner was served and where the party was met by Mayor Marshal Hicks. Later in the evening a majority of the guests were conducted to a hall, where they were given an exhibition of the Texas sport of cock fighting, and a contest between a badger and a bull dog.

SLEW HER SPOUSE.

He Chased the Woman With a Knife and She Used a Shotgun.

Binghamton, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Mrs. Enoc Hinck shot and killed her husband at their home, about three miles above Port Dickinson Sunday morning about 4 o'clock. Mrs. Hinck was 53 years old. They had been married 23 years. For some time Hinck has been jealous of a nephew, Frank Hinck, who has boarded at the Hinck home. Saturday Mrs. Hinck and Mr. Hinck and Frank Hinck came to Binghampton. Mrs. Hinck and Frank drove home alone. About 2 o'clock Sunday morning Hinck, who had arrived at some time previously in an intoxicated condition, quarrelled with his wife and made an assault upon her. She ran out of doors in her night dress, barefooted and pursued by her husband, ran down the road. He was armed with a clasp knife. Finally in the darkness. Mrs. Hinck eluded him and going back to the house barricaded her bedroom. Hinck went back and when he tried to open the door to renew the assault, the woman took up a shot gun and pointed it at her husband. It was discharged, the charge entering Hinck's breast just above the heart. He died in a few minutes.

BASEBALLIST SHOT.

Southern League Pitcher Allemang Mortally Wounded and Robbed.

Pomeroy, Ohio, Nov. 10.—Harry Allemang, who pitched in the Southern league this season, and who has signed with Cincinnati for the coming year, was shot and mortally wounded at Mason, W. Va., his home Sunday. Allemang had been out with friends and was returning home when he found burglars at work in the postoffice. A sentry on the outside ordered Allemang to halt. No attention was paid to the command and the sentry fired on Allemang, the bullet entering his back and lodging in the left lung. When Allemang had fallen to the ground the robbers took $980 from him.

Deluged With Letters.

Weatherford, Tex., Nov. 10.—Gov.-Elect Lanham continues to receive many visitors. Col. Lanham says that he finds it utterly impossible to answer the many letters he is receiving. His time is taken up in personal interviews with gentlemen who visit him to such an extent that he is unable to devote any time to his correspondence, except to read the letters, which he invariably does. He hopes that his failure to answer letters will not be construed as any discourtesy to the writers.

Writer and Physician Dies.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—Dr. Robert Newton Tooker, one of the most prominent physicians of Chicago and president of the Illinois Homopathic Medicine association died suddenly Sunday of apoplexy. When a servant found his body lying on the floor in the bath room the physician had been dead several hours. Dr. Tooker, who was 61 years of age, was widely known as a writer on medical subjects.

In Search of Enemy.

Panama, Nov. 10.—The Colombian government gunboats Bogota and Chucito left here on a trip along the coast in search of the revolutionary fleet.

It is reported that Capt. Marmaduke of the Bogota has received instructions to engage the revolutionists in a decisive battle if he finds it possible to do so.

Gone to Participate.

New York, Nov. 10.—The United States battleships Alabama, Capt. C. H. Davis, and Massachusetts, Capt. H. N. Manney, sailed from this port for Culebra island, in the Caribbean sea, where they will participate in the winter maneuvers.

CORBIN FOR CANTEEN

Adjutant General Recommends Restoration of the Exchange.

HIS YEARLY REPORT

It Deals With Every Feature of the Army. Favors Retirement of Three Officers and Opposes Early Marriage of Men.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The annual report of General Henry C. Corbin, adjutant general of the army, deals with every feature of the army and begins with a statement showing the army is to be reduced by Dec. 1 to 60,020 men, of which 2887 belong to the staff departments.

The report shows that during the fiscal year there were 33 officers killed in action, or died of wounds and disease; 21 resigned and 68 retired. Of the enlisted men 1227 were killed, or died of wounds and disease; 35,806 were discharged on the expiration of service, 5498 were discharged for disability or dismissed by order of court martial, 4667 deserted, two were missing, and 203 retired.

General Corbin, in calling attention to his former recommendation that the rank and pay of military attaches abroad should be increased, suggests that the retired officers of high rank might selected for this service.

General Corbin discusses the various schools of the army and points out the advantages which will accrue through them.

In reviewing the reports of officers who participated in the army and navy maneuvers last September, General Corbin says that much valuable information was acquired.

General Corbin recommends legislation providing that Major Generals Merritt, Brooke and Otis, now on the retired list, be given the rank of lieutenant generals, and that Colonels Gilmore and Williston be given the rank of brigadier generals on the retired list. He has the following to say concerning early marriages in the army:

"The early marriage of the younger officers of the army, many of whom are entirely dependent upon their pay and allowances for support, is greatly to be deplored, and should be discouraged. A young officer should have but one allegiance, and that should be to the service."

General Corbin has the following to say regarding the canteen:

The restoration of the exchange as it existed prior to the passage of the act of February 2, 1901, prohibiting the sale of beer is desired and urged by the great majority of officers and men, and by none more than those of pronounced temperance views. Numerous reports confirm the views long held by this office that the old exchange contributed to sobriety, health and contentment of the men. The increase of desertions and of trials for infractions of discipline is, by those best informed, attributed to the abolition of the former privileges of the exchange.

PAID THE PENALTY.

Hall Mahone, a Negro, Executed for an Assault upon a White Lady.

Van Buren, Ark., Nov. 8.—Hall Mahone, colored, was executed here Friday for the crime of assaulting Mrs. Rebecca McLoud, six miles from this city, on Sept. 5 last. The trap was sprung at 11:07 o'clock, and fourteen minutes later he was pronounced dead. The execution took place on a scoffold erected in the southeast corner of the courthouse yard, and was witnessed by about 5000 people, the last legislature having passed a law requiring public executions for the crime of criminal assault.

Flynn Discouraged.

Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 8.—In an authorized interview, Congressman Dennis T. Flynn states that no matter who is declared elected delegate to congress from Oklahoma, the majority will be so narrow as to make an effort on his part to secure any kind of statehood futile and resultless. The United States senate will take even a small majority as a pretext to turn down any bill to admit Oklahoma to statehood.

He is greatly disheartened over the result, as he was preparing a fight to secure statehood during the present session of congress, which he felt sure of winning.

Children to Be Sent Home.

New York, Nov. 8.—Counsel representing Mrs. Tingley of Point Loma, Cal., in the case of the eleven Cuban children detained at this port withdrew from the investigation Friday.

After hearing a number of witnesses who testified as to the character of Mrs. Tingly the board of inquiry sitting at Ellis Island decided unanimously in favor of excluding the children. Their report was given to the commissioner of immigration and an order was issued under which the children will be sent back to Cuba on the Ward line steamer sailing November 13.

Sudden Demise.

Galveston, Nov. 8.—While standing on the street Friday H. Leuhr, a music teacher, dropped dead from heart failure. He was 60 years old, and had resided in Galveston many years.

Order of Postmaster General.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The postmaster general has ordered that the position of postoffice physician be abolished in all postoffices in cities under 500,000 population.

WILL STILL CONTROL

Republicans Will Have a Working Majority in the House.

WIN IN THE WEST

The Dominant Party Have Made a Tremendous Gain in a Number of the Commonwealths of the North and West.

Washington, Nov. 6.—Late returns show that the Hepublicans (including in this description the fusionists elected from the Pittsburg-Allegheny districts in Pennsylvania) will control the next house by a vote of 204 Republicans and 179 Democrats, with one district. The Eight Tennessee, and two California districts remaining so much in doubt that the official returns will be needed to decide the result. The totals given are believed to be correct, although there are afew districts, such as two in Colorado and one in Minnesota, where the Republican and Democratic party managers respectively do not concede defeat, but the general result can not be affected, even should their claims prove well founded.

RHODE ISLAND DEMOCRATS

They Elect Their Naminees for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 6.—Substantial gains for the Democrats are shown by the complete returns for the state ticket. They elected their candidates for governor and lieutenant governor and their congressional candidate in the First district, besides they cut down the Republican lead i nthe lower house of the legislature by securing thirty-six members as against a like number for the Republicans. The senate, however, remains overwhelmingly Republicans.

CONTEST IN COLORADO.

The Republicans Will Seek to Unseat Democrats from Arapaho County.

Denver, Col., Nov. 6.—The Times says The Republicans are preparing to contest the election of the Democratic legislative ticket in Araphoe county. They say the control of the lower house of the legislature depends on the result in this county. They will ask the secretary of state to refuse certificates to eDmocrats, and if Mr. Mills, who is a Populist, refuses to entertain the scheme, they are planning to organize a rump legislature.

Edward O. Wolcott is already informed of the situation and will come to Denver to enter the sensational race against Teller.

PARDEE ELECTED.

Republicans Have Lost Two Congressmen in California.

San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Complete returns from San Francisco and partial returns from all over the state indicate that Geo. C. Pardee, the Republican nominee for governor is elected by a majority of 2000, or 3000. The plurality of 9000 given by San Francisco to F. K. Lane, the Democratic nominee has been almost wiped out by Republican majorities in the interior counties. The Republican vote for Pardee in southern California is justifying the estimates of the Republican campaign committee and has undoubtedly elected Pardee.

Large Vote for Pennypacker.

Philadelphia, Nov. 6.—Practically complete returns from the state indicate a plurality for Sam'l W. Pennypacker, Republican, for governor, of about 135,000.

Of the 32 congressmen elected twenty-eight are Republicans. The incoming house of representatives will be made up of 157 Republicans and 47 Democrats and the senate will contain 39 Republicans and 11 Democrats.

American Had Place of Honor.

Paris, Nov. 6.—At a dinner given Tuesday night by Foreign Minister Del Casse to King Charles of Portugal, Mrs. Porter, wife of the American ambassador, occupied the place of honor on the right of M. Del Casse. Madame Del Casse was seated on the right of the king.

Marquis Instead of Gount.

Paris, Nov. 6.—The opponent of M. Gerauld Richard of the Petite Republique in the duel fought Tuesday at Neuilly was the Petite Marquis De Dion, vice president of the Automobile club, president of the Aero club and not the Count De Leon.

Fusion Prevails in Nevada.

Reno, Nev., Nov. 6.—It is conceded that the fusion party has elected Sparks for governor. Van Dusen for congress and the entire legislature. Newlans will have clearly a two-thirds vote on joint ballot of the legislature for the United States senate.

Surpassed Expectations.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Nov. 6.—Republican majorities in Wyoming have surpassed all expectations. Mondell for congress will have 6000 majority. The entire Republican state ticket is elected by from 3000 to 5000. The legislature is overwhemingly Republican.

Plurality Claimed by Dick.

Columbus, O., Nov. 6.—Chairman Dick of the Republican state committee has complete returns from 86 of the 88 Ohio counties showing a Republican plurality for state candidates of 90,807.

CHICAGOANS' GREETING.

Three Cities of Central Texas Extend to Them the Glad Hand.

Corsicana, Tex., Nov. 8.—Members of the Chicago delegation of business men touring the state of Texas made their debut in southern society Friday and vied with one another in gallantry to the maids and matrons of two cities. Their first appearance was at Ennis, where the special stopped for an hour unexpectedly, and the entire party paid a visit to a chrysanthemum show and bazaar in progress there.

They were cordially received by the young women in charge and buttoniers were pinned upon each. Two beautiful bunches of chrysanthemums were then presented with appropriate words by Mrs. J. P. Mann and received, in behalf of the delegation, by Paul Morton.

At this point, where the final stop for the day was made, they were first conducted through a cotton seed oil mill and cotton compress, and the methods employed explained at length. Later they were escorted to the Commercial club, where for two hours they mingled and exchanged compliments with the wives and daughters of Corsicana's citizens. A dinner was then partaken of as the guests of the Commercial club and a season of speech making followed.

The run through the cotton belt elicited more than ordinary interest on the part of the Chicagoans, and as Waxahachie oratory was omitted from the programme, and a lecture on cotton and its products, together with an exhibit, substituted.

AN ARREST MADE.

Richard Cole Will Have to Answer the Accusation of Assaulting Mr. Dinni.

Washington, Nov. 8.—Richard Cole, a colored porter 20 years old, was arrested Friday and committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury on the charge of committing assault on Mrs. Ada Gilbert Dennis, a dress maker at her home in this city, over 10 months ago. Mrs. Dennis died from her injuries about a fortnight ago without recovering sufficiently to talk rationally. Julius Van Brakle, colored, former proprietor of the Brunswick hotel, testified Friday before the coroner's jury that on March 19 Cole had said something to him to the effect that he (Cole) would be a happy man if Mrs. Dennis was dead, and also had said once when he looked worried: "Yes, if you had on your mind what I have on my mind, you would look worried too."

Cole, who also testified before the coroner's jury, denied making the assault and protested that he had assisted the authorities. He also denied using language attributed to him by Van Brakle.

Holden Appointed.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 8.—It is authoritatively stated here that, effective Tuesday, November 11, 1902, J. F. Holden is appointed assistant freight traffic manager of the Rock Island railway system, with headquarters in Chicago. Mr. Holden, it is added, will retain his position as traffic manager of the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railroad, changing his office from Little Rock to Chicago. Mr. Holden will take with him his chief clerk, C. A. Bradley, and his assistant, Wm. V. Hayes.

Will Deadlock.

Denver, Nov. 8.—At a caucus of a number of Democratic members of the new legislature it was decided that if the Republicans undertake to unseat Teller men in the house, the senate, which is strongly Democratic, will not meet in joint session with the house and will deadlock the legislature so it will be impossible to elect a successor for Teller.

Apportionments Kept Up.

Philadelphia, Nov. 8.—The general committee of church extension of the Methodist Episcopal church, in session Friday, continued the appointment of the church building fund among 126 conferences. Among the apportionments were:

Arkansas, $550; Atlanta, $300; Austin, $750; Baltimore, $3350; Blue Ridge, $675; Central Alabama, $600; Central Missouri, $700, and Central Tennessee, $800.

Lanham Has Many Visitors.

Weatherford, Tex., Nov. 8.—Since election day large crowds of visitors from all over the state have been here, among them being quite a number of the leading politicians, professional men and business men, all for the same purpose—to confer with Gov.-elect Lanham about appointive positions.

Buried Under Stones and Dirt.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 8.—August Rapp and L. Bennock were killed and Patrick Doyle, Harry Cronin and Wm. Sanders were badly injured by the premature explosion of a blast of dynamite in a cut which the St. Louis, Kansas City and Colorado is building west of Union, Mo. The five were buried under a mass of stones and dirt.

Held for Trial.

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—Thos. K. Williams, Jr., president of the California Jockey club, and Truxton Beall, former United States minister to Persia, were Friday held for trial in the superior court for an alleged assault on Frederick Marrot, editor of the News Letter last summer. The bonds were fixed at $10,000 each.

Given Eight Years.

Greenville, Tex., Nov. 8.—Tom Summers, tried in the district court on a charge of incest, was found guilty by the jury, and given an eight-year sentence. There are three other charges, and one for criminal assault, against the same defendant.

Odell's Election Contribution.

Albany, Nov. 8.—Governor Odell has certified that his election expenses were $10,000.

AT THE COURT.

The case of T. E. Bull of Farmersville charged with killing N. T. Shatley on Feb. 24th, near Kimzy Bridge, was called Tuesmorning. The special venire of eighty men were exhausted when only ten jurors were selected. Others were summoned, and the jury completed as follow:

J. W. Douglass, D. C. Flippin, J. D. Gulledge, T. J. Pannell, G. C. Hill, J. N. Kerby, J. M. Coleman, H. Adamson, A. A. Angel, W. T. Kennedy, W. H. Bates, W. S. Duncan.

Hughston & Brown are the state attorneys, while Doggett & Clifton and Abernathy & Beverly represent the defendant.

CHANGE OF VENUE

The attorneys for Gabe Hall charged with assault to murder his wife, presented a motion for change of venue to Grayson county, which was granted. The case has been tried four times here.

The D. A. Tate case was continued until next term of court.

JURY COMMISSIONERS

A. W. Knighton, John Ousley and J. L. Franklin were appointed as Jury commissioners, and are at work selecting the jurors, including the grand jury men for the next term of district court.

COUNTY COURT

The case of the state vs D. L. Horton charged with malicious mischief was appealed from justice court, this precinct.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

The Kind You Have Always Bought

The handsome new hose wagon for Sam Burks hose company has arrived and was driven over the city. It was bought from the Seagraves Co., Columbus Ohio, at a cost of $500. It is a two-horse wagon; the body black, the running gear vermillion red, striped with gold leaf. It bears the name "Sam Burks Hose Company No. 2," in attractive letters, and the mountings are of polished brass. The wagon at present is housed in J. C. Moore's implement building. The fire boys are justly proud of it.

All kinds of shoes are going at a great reduction during Knight's bankrupt sale. Every pair warranted.

Peruna, Prickly Ash Bitters, Cod Liver Oils, Chile Tonics all the best kinds at City Drug Store.

Mrs. J. A. Jones returned to her home in Norman Ok. after a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Scott Allison here.

You should secure one of the lady's $4 heavy wool dress skirts while they are going at $2.85 in Knight's bankrupt sale.

Great sympathy is felt and expressed by Miss Bessie Emerson's large circle of friends for her in her continued serious illness. After a very restless night she is reported to be somewhat more quiet today.

Want Ads

In the Dallas News pay ten fold. See the local agent for rates, etc. 12tf

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McKinney Market Report

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Oats per bushel	38 to 40c
Corn per bushel	35 to 42c
Hay per ton	$7. to 9 00
Bran	per 100 lbs. 1 65
Flour	$2.00 to 2.25
Meal	per bu., 65c
Eggs, per doz	20c
Cattle	$1.75 to 2.25
Hogs	$4.75 to 5 50
Mutton Sheep	2 25 to 2.75
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Attorneys-at-Law,
Real-Estate Agents.

McKinney. Texas.

Notice Tax Payers

I will meet the tax payers of Collin county at the respective dates and places named below for the purpose of receiving state and county ad valorem and poll taxes for year 1902:

Plano Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nov. 12, 13, 14 and 15.

Farmersville Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nov. 12, 13, 14 and 15.

N. B.—By paying the sum of three dollars to the tax collector it will exempt you from road duty for the year 1903.

Respectfully,
YANCY POWELL,
Tax Collector Collin Co.

Real Estae Transfers.

C C Frost and wife to R J Milligan, 29 485-1000a, J H Lang sur. $1000.

A J McMillican et ux to J A McIver, 55a, S M Rainer sur. $2300.

C A Brockman and wife to E Brown, 2 tracts, S M Rainer sur. $232.50-100.

J L Rees and wife et al to C A Brockman, 32a. S M Rainer sur. $160 and exchange for other lands.

A O Allen and wife to H N Johnson, lot J M Lee addition to McKinney $650.

Dr. B E Throckmorton et ux to H N Johnson, 49 20-100a, P Smith sur. $2000.

C O Jones and wife to L B Brakebill, 139 3-4a. L Searcy sur. $6288.75.

L A Scott to E M Galbreath, 40a, B Bland sur. $600.

E M Galbreath et al to J T Hartness, 40a B Bland sur. $800.

J H Smith et ux to J D Kemp, 50a J Lee Wright sur. $1050.

A E Quisensberry and wife to Sam Lazerus, 7 8 10a, Wm C Duffield and Clayton Rogers sur. $344.

W L Lovelady and wife to E D Russell and wife, 1-2a Farmersville, Texas, $120.

L W Johnson and wife to E D Russell, lot, Farmersville, $175.

G W Gunter and wife to J M Wilson, 94 7-10a Aaron West sur $2000.

J Atkinson to W W Stiff, int. in 57a, R H Locke sur. $72.

W J S Russell to T B Wilson, 98 4-6a. F De LaPina sur. $3000.

A T Bryant and wife to H L Sterling. lot 8, blk 3. Bryants addition to Prosper, $250.

J R Gough and wife to W R Robbins. 3-4a, S T Louis sur. $31.88-100.

T B Wilson to W J S Russell, lot 30, blk 11, W J S Russells 2nd addition to McKinney, $300.

A M Talbot and wife to Jno B Godwin, 36 1-5a, J D Kirbey sur. $1600.

L B Edwards and wife to J A Garnett, 6[illegible]3-4a, ——— sur. $100.

D E and Nancy A Bomar to J A and M A Furr, lot 1. blk. 1, W J S Russell's 3rd addition to McKinney, $150.

C T Cotner and wife to J R Cotner, 1-7 of 56 1-2a, S Williams sur. $200.

Mary A Ballard et al to J L Ballard, 12a L Wilmeth sur. $150.

J E Jones to W F Ashmore, et al, trustees, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, blk. 25, Copeville. $200.

R N Gansewell et ux to D E Harris, 94 12-100a. J Chalmers sur. $3000.

J C Vance and wife to K Hall, 32a. R Baker sur. $1920.

J H Cook et al to Z H Cook, 82a. M A Jackson sur. $10 and partitioning.

R D Smith and wife to D M Creager, tract — J Sorrell sur. $3600.

Boss Apple and wife to Cliff Emerson, lot 37, blk. 15, White's addition to McKinney, $125.

J B Frances and wife to J R Beck, 59 46 100a. R D Newman sur. $2735.

J C Cox and wife to J Cox. 30a ——— sur. $1350.

J Cox and wife to J C Cox, 105a D Anglin sur. $2050.

W S Cox and wife to J C Cox, 14a, D Anglin sur. $450.

K Reynolds et ux to E C Thompson, 93 1 4a, J Matthews sur. $1500.

L A Scott and wife to S H Hillis, 56 55-100a, M J Gimineze sur. $1197.50.

J E Stibbens to T B Wilson, tract, J J Turnham sur. $1238.

G W Stibbins et al to J E Stibbins, int. in 60a, J J Turnham sur. $1539.

J Gallaheir to J E Stibbins, int. 60a J J Turnham sur. $150.

J T Stibbins to J Daniels, int. 60a. J J Turnham sur. $55.

J T Stibbins to A H Burns (Sheriffs deed) int. 60a, J J Turnham sur. $20.

A TEXAS WONDER,

Hall's Great Discovery for Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

One small bottle of Hall's great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles removes gravel, cures diabites, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1.00, One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, St Douis, Mo., formerly of Texas P. O. Box 629. Office 2931 Olive street. Sold by druggists and Smith Bros., & Co.

Dangerfield, Texas, Oct. 17, 1901. Dr. E. W, Hall, St. Louis: Dear Sir—I have used Hall's Texas Wonder, and will say that it cured my little 2-year-old boy of serious kidney trouble.
REV. J. WOODSON,
Formerly of Marshall.

Miss Pearl Roberts returned from Mi l wood Friday night where she has been visiting relatives.

The kidneys are small but important organs. They need help occasionally. Prickly Ash Bitters is a successful kidney tonic and system regulator.

Mrs. Gene Martin has returned from a visit to her husband's parents near Melissa.

One Minute Cough Cure

Is the only harmless cough cure that gives quick relief. Cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, whooping cough, pneumonia, asthma, lagrippe and all throat, chest and lung troubles. I got soaked by rain, says Gertrude E. Fenner, Muncie, Ind., and contracted a severe cold and cough. I failed rapidly; lost 48 lbs. My druggist recommended One Minute Cough Cure. The first bottle brought relief; several cured me. I am back to my old weight, 148 lbs. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the phlegm, relieves the cough a once. draws out inflammation, cures croup. An ideal remedy for children. City Drug Store.

Talking Machines

The new perfected Edison phonograhs and the new moulded records, everything in the talking machine line.
DAVID F. SHARBINE, Agt.,
1m McKinney, Tex.

Wanted—Span of good work mules to weigh not less than 2500 pounds, age from 4 to 8 years, mare mules preferred. Bring them in Saturday or Monday, Nov. 15 and 17. Mules must be guaranteed sound.
Collin Co. M. & Elevator Co.

Pecans Wanted

Hill & Webb will pay the highest market price for your pecans and give you the cash. tf

Roy Kirkpatrick was in Sherman Sunday.

..OPEN..

- FOR BUSINESS. -

We are now ready for business with a splendid stock of the best make of goods. This is the season when cold and wet feet may induce serious illness. Our shoes protect the feet and meet all the requirements of service and fashion.

R. L. Parker, the veteran McKinney shoe maker, is with us. All friends and the public generally are invited to call.

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THOUGHTS ON EDUCATION

Prof. Jones Writes in Behalf of The University.

THE FUTURE OF M'KINNEY

Nothing Will so Rapidly Fix A High Idea of Young Manhood And Womanhood.

The career of every city is the direct product of business foresight combined with natural advantages. One would think, upon a casual glance at the map of our sea board, that the peculiar situation of our great cities and not the guiding genius of the city builder is chiefly involved. One metropolis sits upon a spacious harbor where, safe from storm and tide, may ride the merchant marine of every flag. Another adds to this feature the traffic of a mighty river basin, and a third enjoys the periodical overflow of government patronage and the prestige of foreign wealth and fashion. Inland cities are strung like beads along the waterways, and set like jewels at the heads of valleys and mountain passes. Still others dot our great central plain of North America and form centers of distrution for extensive agricultural areas. Added to the source of wealth thus accruing from the process of tapping the great arteries of traffic, is always the supplementary advantages of industrial, religious, eleemasynary, and educational institutions. And as the exercise of business judgment is required to levy a tribute upon the national wealth in transit, so the sagacity and alertness of progressive business seers is required to attract the secondary sources of trade and wealth found in the institutions named above.

As a matter of fact, McKinney does not adorn a port, nor mark a confluence of mighty rivers; it is not in the path of converging mountain paths or at the center of overland routes; its greatness, if greatness is achieved, can hardly reach and dominate the national or international traffic. But McKinney may yet become by the aid of an extensive trolley system, factories and of educational institutions a thriving, progressive, and influential city.

The building out of McKinney of electric lines to surrounding points with cheap transportation will expand the territory of our business establishments. A University in McKinney could be attended by many from several miles out, at a cost less than the price of board. The disadvantages of bad roads would be largely removed and our hindrances of bad weather would be no longer so serious a menace to profits.

McKinney should rear a generation of young men and women whose power would be felt in councils of our state and nation. We have produced some able men and remarkably intelligent women, but we should cherish the ambition of becoming famous for the vigor and character of our young men and the purity, charm and intelligence of our young women. Nothing will so rapidly fix such an ideal as the establishment here of a University or endowed college of first class. FRANKLIN G. JONES.

THE FACTS IN THE CASE.

When you read a thing you like to feel that it's the truth. THE DALLAS SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS gives the facts in the case.

SPECIALLY EDITED.

If you'll read The News awhile you'll like it. It holds the attention, It is specially edited, that's why. Brains and not hap-hazard go into the make-up of The News

TWO PAPERS YOU NEED.

You need The Democrat, because it's your local paper. It gives a class of news you can't get elsewhere. You need The News because it gives you all the State news. The Democrat and The Semi-Weekly News one year for only $1.75, cash in advance.

The News is promptly stopped at expiration of time paid for.

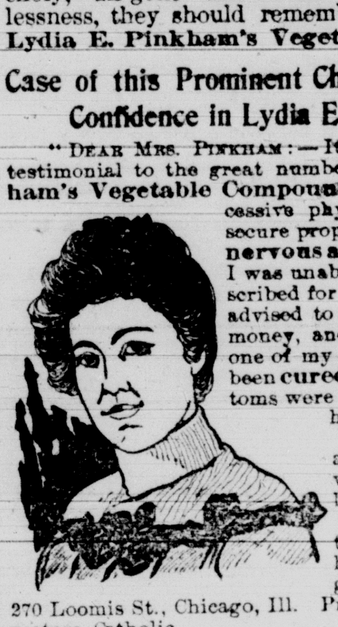
Health Of Women

Health and beauty are the glories of perfect womanhood. Wo who suffer constantly with weakness peculiar to their sex cannot tain their beauty. Preservation of pretty features and rounded for a duty women owe to themselves.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or pain menstruation, weakness, leucorrhœa, displacement or ulceration of womb, that bearing down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, ba ache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nerv prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintn lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, me choly, "all gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and h lessness, they should remember there is one tried and true rem **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** removes such trou

Case of this Prominent Chicago Woman Should Give Every Confidence in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—It affords me great pleasure, indeed, to add testimonial to the great number who are today praising **Lydia E. Pi ham's Vegetable Compound.** Three years ago I broke down from cessive physical and mental strain. I was unabl secure proper rest, also lost my appetite, and I becam **nervous and irritable** too that my friends trembled I was unable to attend to my work. Our physician scribed for me, but as I did not seem to improve, I advised to go away. I could neither spare the tim money, and was very much worried when, fortuna one of my club friends called. She told me how she been **cured of ovarian troubles,** and how like my sy toms were to hers, seven bottles of your medicine c her, and she insisted that I take some.



"I did so, and am glad that I followed advice. Within six weeks I was a diffe woman, strong and robust in health, and been so ever since.

"A number of my friends who have troubled with ailments peculiar to our have taken your compound, and have also greatly benefited." — MISS ELIZABETH DA President of the St. Ruth's Court, Order of resters, Catholic.

270 Loomis St., Chicago, Ill.

What is left for the women of America, after reading such le as we publish, but to believe. Don't some of you who are sick and m able feel how wicked you are to remain so, making life a burden yourself and your friends, when a cure is easily and inexpensi obtained? Don't you think it would pay to drop some of you prejudices and "Try **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compo** which is better than all the doctors for **cures?**" Surely the experi of hundreds of thousands of women, whom the Compound has c should convince all women.

Follow the record of this medicine, and remember that these c of thousands of women whose letters are constantly printed in paper were not brought about by "something else," but by **Lydi Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,** the great Woman's Remedy Woman's Ills.

Those women who refuse to accept anything else are rewar hundred thousand times, for they get what they want—a cure. —stick to the medicine that you **know** is the Best. Write to Pinkham for advice.

$5000 FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letter and signat above testimonial, which will prove its absolute genuineness.
Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, M

AT THE COURT.

The jury in the case of T. J. Campbell charged with the murder of Prof. F. F. Thweatt at Lebanon two years ago, returned a verdict about 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning as follows:

"We the jury find the defendant guilty of murder in the second degree, and assess his punishment at confinement in the state penitentiary for a period of five years." J. P. COFFEY,
Foreman.

Campbell's attorneys immediately filed a motion for a new trial.

ENTERED INTO RECOGNIZANCE

The habeas corpus hearing of Riley Housewright, the young man charged with the murder of his brother-in-law, J. N. Combs at Wylie last week, was held before Judge Dillard Thursday morning, and the defendant entered into a recognizance in the sum of $7,000, with R Housewright, T O Staples, E A Housewright, F M Brook, J M Brown, and J P Garrison as sureties. Housewright was released.

ADMITTED TO BAR.

The application of Eber W. Merritt for license to practice law was made Thursday afternoon, and he was examined in open court, and admitted to the bar. Mr. Merritt is one of McKinney's brightest and best young men and we predict for him a brilliant future.

BRAY CASE CONTINUED.

The case of James Bray charged with killing A. West in the eastern part of the county last spring, was continued until next term of court and the special venire of sixty men ordered discharged.

JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT.

A judgment by default was rendered in the injunction suit C. & S. Fe Ry. Co. vs Ball.

COUNTY COURT.

The case of Will Kendall was tried in city court ing on a charge of drunke convicted and find $10 an was appealed.

The seventh and last we District court commenced M morning.

The case of Phil Jackso negro charged with burgl John Moran's, another n house, in early spring, was Saturday afternoon. Two tions to qua h the indictmen entered and argued by A. S erson, the defendant's att one of which set forth that were no negroes on the gra that found the bill of indic Both motions were over-ru the case went to trial, the returning a verdict that finding the defendant guilt assessing his punishment a years in the state penitenti

The Harve Wells and Beard cases were continue next term of court.

COMMISSIONERS' COUR

The election returns canvassed perhaps tomorr they are all in by that time

TWO LUNACY TRIALS

Mrs. Mary Renfro, of ne leoka, and Mrs. N. C. Doni near Princeton, were both Saturday afternoon on cha lunacy and adjudged Both have been in the asyl fore.

In connection with o practice we buy and sel pay taxes for non-residen lect rents and prepare a of deeds and conveyances.
DOGGETT & CLIFTON, A
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